

Mixed Cargo
Far East Seaports
Rubber Manufacturers
American Patents

Weather
Overcast and rainy weather. The maximum temperature yesterday was 48.4 and the minimum 36.5, figures for the corresponding day last year being 42.6 and 21.0.

The Mail Box
MAILS for U. S. and Europe, Pres. Madison, 9 p.m. tomorrow. FROM U. S. and Europe, Str. Pres. Lincoln, 11 a.m. tomorrow. FOR Europe via Suez, Str. Macedonia, Jan. 22. FROM Europe via Suez, Str. Cordillera, Jan. 21.

BY OUR FINANCIAL EDITOR
A very delightful book has come to us. It is entitled "Seaports of the Far East" and has been compiled and edited by Mr. Allister Macmillan, F.R.G.S., who has also brought out many interesting volumes on other parts of the world. Briefly, the aim which the publisher has kept before him has been to give a perfect microcosm of the whole of the Far East. In all essential features the present work by Mr. Macmillan follows closely upon the lines of his other undertakings, and deals fully with the history, administration, population, industries, commerce and potentialities of the territories it covers.

The wide distance which divides the different countries that this profusely illustrated book covers and the peculiar conditions which prevail in each one of them have doubtless rendered the task of the author one of no little difficulty. Obviously a work of this kind cannot be produced except at very considerable cost. The photographs which lavish the pages of this work add rather than detract from its value. A more suitable presentation or a more comprehensive guide to the Far East would be difficult to select. As a gift to people abroad it is admirable.

What is the Far East? asks Mr. Allister Macmillan in his introduction. While the Near East is generally regarded as the areas draining into the Black, the Persian, the Levantine and the Red Seas, with Constantinople, Bagdad and Teheran as its centers of interest, there is no general consent as to limits of the Far East, and this is largely due, no doubt, to the fact that there is no general term, even in a loose sense of the employment of Middle East. Mr. Macmillan says: "One of the most perplexing things about the Far East is its indefiniteness. Geographically, geologically, ethnographically and zoologically it is almost equally indefinable, and this has been so fully realized that few, if any, have tried clearly to define the limits of what is unthinkingly called the Far East."

The book deals exhaustively with Burma, Siam, the Malay Peninsula, Singapore, Penang, Hongkong and Shanghai in their historical, descriptive, commercial and industrial aspects. It is on sale at Messrs. Kelly and Walsh and other bookellers here.

RUBBER MANUFACTURES
The output of manufactured rubber goods, especially soles of boots and complete canvas boots and shoes with rubber soles, is increasing. There is a considerable demand for these in China, one Chinese having bought up a number of rubber factories throughout the Federated Malay States. Commenting on this, Mr. A. S. Haynes, Secretary for Agriculture in the Federated Malay States and the Straits Settlements, in a report just issued remarks:

"It appears to me that the rubber growers, many of whom have very large resources, have missed a great opportunity in not co-operating to do this. There are indications that the market in China for rubber soles will expand greatly, and this, combined with China's vast population, may result in the eventual consumption of a considerable profit to the makers of soles. It would appear desirable to impress on rubber growers and others the importance of encouraging the use of crepe rubber soles (unvulcanized)."

Already in Shanghai a factory is nearing completion for the manufacture of soles, and both in the North and South of China there is a growing demand for this. The crepe rubber sole is also finding a ready market in England, especially for sporting purposes.

AMERICAN PATENTS
"The American Export Monthly" rouses the American manufacturers who have not been working their patents in foreign countries in the following manner:

"Tens of millions of American dollars lie idle and wasting away in foreign countries. Other vast sums are in danger of destruction, all because their owners are sleeping on their rights. This dormant wealth is represented by the large number of patents and processes invented, owned, and profitably worked by Americans in the United States, and which, while patented abroad, have never been marketed there. The inaction has been in most cases due to either indifference to the possibilities of sale in foreign markets, to lack of pocket nerve, or to a lack of exact knowledge of foreign conditions. Frank Van derlip proclaimed a year or two ago, that Americans were international illiterates, and, while that

FRENCH AID PALATINATE SEPARATISTS, LEADERS SAY

Consul-General of Britain Conducts Inquiry
SEEK FREEDOM
Will Never Submit To Despotism, They Say

(*Reuter's Service*)
Mannheim, Jan. 16.—In the course of conversations between Mr. Clive, the British Consul-General at Munich, and representatives of all the political parties in the Palatinate and also the heads of the Catholic and Evangelical Churches, it was asserted that it was only by the protection of the French General de Metz and the French district authorities that the separatists were able to occupy the Palatinate. The delegates handed Mr. Clive a manifesto declaring that the Palatinate would never submit to the despotism of the so-called Separatist Government.

DISCUSS PLAN FOR PROPOSED HUNGARY LOAN

Sub-Committee of League Holds Meeting in Private At London

(*Reuter's Service*)
London, Jan. 16.—A sub-committee of the League of Nations, including Count Bethlen, the Hungarian Premier, and Dr. Potes, the Czechoslovak Premier, met in private today at St. James's Palace to consider the proposed international loan of £10,000,000 to Hungary. It is understood that M. Clausel, the French representative, urged that the loan should be for a shorter period than twenty years as originally planned, but Lord Robert Cecil, the British representative, opposed this.

Big U. S. Dirigible, Cast Adrift, Outrides Storm

(*Reuter's American Service*)
Lakehurst, N. J., Jan. 16.—The Shenandoah has out ridden the storm and is returning home. A wireless message from the Commander when over Keyport says that all six engines are working against a thirty-mile gale and that preparations are being made to land in two hours.

Later.—The Shenandoah has been brought to ground. The airship was safely housed at 4.10 this morning. All on board are well. The vessel is not damaged except for rents in the outer bag.

(*Reuter's American Service*)
Lakehurst, N. J., Jan. 16.—The naval dirigible Shenandoah, which is earmarked for the naval aerial expedition to the North

U. S. CHILDREN NOW DRINKERS, JURIST SAYS

(*Exclusive China Press*)
Denver, Col., Jan. 16.—Judge Ben Lindsey of the Juvenile Court here, following a lecture tour through the Eastern States, issued a statement deploring the growing use of alcoholic beverages by school children, which he said, is increasingly apparent everywhere.

The statement reads in part: "While I am not opposed to the prohibition law, as a deterrent to crime it has been a great disappointment. There has been more alcoholism in the state of New York last year than before prohibition went into effect. Most men I talked to were of the opinion that the use of dope and drugs had increased rapidly in the last few years."

Story Of How McKinley Saved Crew Of Sinking Japanese Ship Told Here

American Liner Now In Port Picked Up 47 Japanese And Chinese From Kyosei Maru In Mid-Pacific

A stirring tale of the rescue of 47 Chinese and Japanese members of the crew of the Kyosei Maru in mid-Pacific during a heavy gale was told yesterday when the Admiral-Oriental liner President McKinley arrived from Seattle.

The crew of the sinking vessel were rescued by the President McKinley on January 4 after a day-and-night race by the American vessel to reach the Japanese ship before it sank. Captain Alvin O. Lustie of the

McKinley told part of the story, reservedly and with a gruff air of all-in-the-line-of-duty about him as he talked. Other members of the crew added little details that the modest captain overlooked.

The McKinley, out of Seattle, was steaming along on the morning of January 3 when the wireless operator picked up an "S. O. S." call from the Kyosei Maru. At the time the McKinley was 300 miles east of the Japanese steamer and Captain Lustie radioed back that he expected to reach the Japanese ship's position by 1 o'clock the next afternoon. A little later the McKinley intercepted a wireless from the Empress of Russia telling the Kyosei Maru they were 200 miles to the west and expected to reach their position by daylight the next day.

WILL ENTERTAIN COMMERCE MEN ON VISIT HERE

Local Chamber Plans Program For San Francisco Delegation

Comprehensive plans are being made by the American Chamber of Commerce for the entertainment of the San Francisco Chamber of Commerce delegation which is to arrive here January 29 by the President Harrison, first of the Dollar Steamship Company's round-the-world liners to come to Shanghai.

It is planned to begin the program with a dinner at the Union Club the evening of January 29. On the 30th there is to be an automobile trip to Shanghai Baptist College and a visit to one of the cotton mills. In the afternoon the visitors are to be taken by motor car to Jessfield and then to the Shanghai General Chamber of Commerce.

On Thursday, the 31st, it is being arranged to make up a party for a trip to Sochow. Members and their ladies are invited and the party will leave by special car on the 3.30 express. Visits to the Commercial Press plant and to two industrial plants in the afternoon are on the program for the last day, February 1.

THE RACE

Then began a race against time to save the crew of the Japanese ship.

A bad gale blew all night, hindering the progress of both the Russia and the McKinley. The Empress liner was particularly handicapped, however, because although she was closer to the sinking ship, the Kyosei Maru was steaming away from the Canadian boat at 8 knots an hour, giving the Empress only 10 knots leeway. As the Empress had turned back upon receiving the call for help the Captain soon began worrying about his coal supply as he was still facing a bad gale and heavy seas, and finally, after receiving assurances from Captain Lustie that the McKinley would assist the Japanese, the Empress turned again and proceeded on her way.

The next morning Captain Lustie received another wireless pleading for immediate help as the Japanese captain said it would be necessary for him to abandon ship in a very short time.

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TANGIERS PACT FAVORS FRANCE, LABOR CHARGES

Spirited Debate Carried On In Commons Regarding Proposed Agreement

(*Reuter's Service*)
London, Jan. 16.—In the House of Commons today Mr. Ronald McNeill made a long statement with regard to the Tangier Convention. He emphasized that agreement had been secured for the permanent neutralisation of the open door by establishing an international regime, which would effectively prevent any one Power from being predominant.

Mr. Lloyd George asked who controlled the port.

The Under-Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs said that the share capital of the International Company would be distributed as follows: France 30%, Britain & Spain 20% each, the Sherifian Government, the International Administration and the other countries 10% each. Consequently only 30% was in the hands of France.

(Opposition cries of "No!" and "What about the Sherifian Government?")

Replying to Mr. Lloyd George, Mr. McNeill said he was confident that the Commons would be given an opportunity of discussing the agreement if they desired.

In answer to a question from Mr. Carlyon Bellairs (Conservative Member for Maldstone), Mr. McNeill said that he was unable to say whether the Committee of Defence had approved the Convention before its signature.

Colonel John Ward (Independent Labor Member for Stoke-upon-Trent) declared that the agreement practically handed over the port to France.

(*Exclusive China Press*)
Paris, Jan. 17.—It was stated at the Quai D'Orsay today that the reply of the Spanish ambassador to the last French note regarding the Tangiers question leaves the way open to settlement by compromise.

U. S. CRUISER TACOMA HITS REEF ON WAY TO VERA CRUZ

Battleship Aground Near Mexican Port

AID IS RUSHED

Naval Tugs Are Sent In Effort To Save Ship

(*Reuter's Service*)
Galveston, Jan. 16.—The United States cruiser Tacoma, on its way to Vera Cruz, went aground today on the Bantaullas Reefs, 16 miles from Vera Cruz. The cruiser has sent a wireless despatch to the American Consul at Vera Cruz that unless two strong tugs arrive within two hours it may be too late to pull off the warship.

(*Reuter's American Service*)
Galveston, Jan. 16.—The United States light-cruiser Richmond is standing by the cruiser Tacoma, around on the Bantaullas Reefs. The Government is sending naval tugs to the scene.

GEDDES TO BE 'DEPUTY ENVOY' FOR AMERICA

Retiring Ambassador Given Farewell Banquet At New York

(*Reuter's American Service*)
New York, Jan. 16.—The New York Club gave a farewell banquet in honor of Sir Auckland Geddes, the retiring British Ambassador, who made a speech pleading for a better understanding between America and Britain.

Loud applause greeted Sir Auckland Geddes's remark that he would return to England as a "kind of deputy assistant American Ambassador" to help to increase knowledge of the United States in Britain. Anglo-American cooperation would come, he said, not through Government agencies but through the people themselves.

Wang Keh-ming Is Still Holding Out

(*Reuter's Pacific Service*)
Peking, Jan. 17.—The Cabinet met this morning. The Ministers of Finance and Education were absent. There was no discussion of finance.

No progress appears to have been made towards inducing Mr. Wang Keh-ming to take up the portfolio of Finance. It was reported today that the Premier may appoint the Vice-Minister, Mr. Hsiang Hsiang, Taiti Minister of Finance.

British Woman Is Killed In Mexico

(*Reuter's American Service*)
Mexico City, Jan. 16.—Mrs. Norman Brown Cave, the wife of a British mining engineer, was killed by a stray bullet during the fighting at Tapachula.

MRS. ROOSEVELT SHOWS BRAVERY IN JAPAN QUAKE

(*Exclusive China Press*)
Tokio, Jan. 17.—Mrs. Theodore Roosevelt, widow of the late President, who is visiting in Japan with her son, Mr. Kermit Roosevelt, showed great fortitude during the earthquake. Mrs. Roosevelt remained calm and quiet in her room during the shocks while scores of other guests were jumping out of the hotel windows and fleeing panic-stricken.

Mrs. Roosevelt and Mr. Roosevelt spent today as guests of the Imperial family, viewing the relics of the late Emperor Meiji, an honor hitherto unaccorded to foreigners.

Johnson Announces Presidential Candidacy

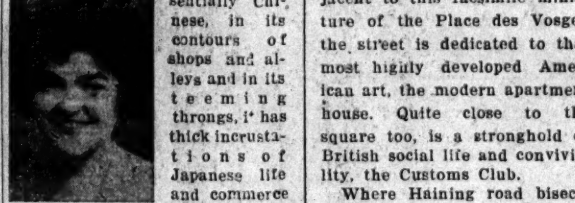


Hiram Johnson
United States Senator Hiram Johnson, of California, has definitely announced his candidacy for the Republican nomination for the Presidency in 1924 on progressive lines.

The Streets Of Shanghai

Chapoo Road

By Irene Corbally Kuhn
Chapoo road, not every street in the International Settlement of Shanghai is so thoroughly international in character as Chapoo road. Essentially Chinese, in its contours of shops and alleys and in its teeming throngs, it has thick incrustations of Japanese life and commerce all up and down its length. Then, for the extent of one side



of a green square that is Quinsan Garden, it partakes of the romanticism of old Paris, in the days of Henri IV. Just adjacent to this facsimile miniature of the Place des Vosges, the street is dedicated to that most highly developed American art, the modern apartment house. Quite close to the square too, is a stronghold of British social life and conviviality, the Customs Club.

Where Haining road bisects Chapoo, the street makes a graceful sweeping curve that is a sort of final gesture for, a little space beyond, at Range road, it ends in righteousness, at the site of the Free Christian Church.

Quinsan Garden is the colored bow at Chapoo road's dingy waistline. The bow is really an obi for the square is, perhaps, the chief playground of Shanghai's small Japanese residents. Quite apart from its kindergarten personality, however, the square, as a unit, with the old-fashioned houses that surround it on all sides, has a truly Parisian character. It is, undoubtedly, loveliest at twilight when the romping, third children have left and it sits in a quiet mood remembering the shrill childish treble of the polyglot tongues that are heard there. It has a throat-catching beauty in the smoke-stained red and violet dusk that blurs its outlines and lengthens the enfolding shadows all about it. It is then that Quinsan, one of the oldest residential sections in Shanghai, most closely resembles that other old section of the Paris of the West, the Place des Vosges, known in the days of Henri IV and the old French aristocracy as the Place Royale.

Just as the old Paris square is peopled with the ghosts of former days so is Quinsan in its twilight hour of remembrance haunted by the ghosts of the little people whose day-time playground it has been.

On the Chapoo road side of the square is Shanghai's most up-to-date apartment house, rising in the cold, white insouciance of steam-heated modernity over the red and grey brick fronts, sloping roofed and chimney topped "old fellows" across the way. In the entrance, just off the road, are front garden plots of small houses. The gardens are unique in that they grow hardy palms that are green all year. They may be dusty grey-green in summer and a shriveled brown-grey in winter but, on

SECY. FALL IS CHARGED WITH BIG OIL GRAFT

Cabinet Member Accused Of Selling American Fuel To Speculators

(*Reuter's American Service*)
Washington, Jan. 16.—Senator Caraway (Democrat) caused a sensation in the Senate today when he accused Mr. Fall, Secretary of the Interior, of betrayal of trust by leasing oil reserves, and charged him with selling American fuel to speculators, one of whom had boasted that he was going to make \$100,000,000 as his share of the loot.

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SHIP AFIRE, SPEEDING TO WOOSUNG FOR ASSISTANCE

Former U. S. Transport Warren Signals Distress

FIRE IS CHECKED

Vessel Due At River Mouth This Morning

With flames eating away at her after hold, the ex-American army transport Warren, now a cargo carrier, was speeding last night to make the port of Woosung, at the mouth of the Whangpoo, where arrangements had been made to meet her and give her assistance.

Earlier in the day yesterday it was radioed here that the Warren was in serious straits and immediate steps were taken to send assistance to the stricken craft. A bit later, however, wireless messages carried the news that the ship had the fire reasonably under control and that she could make Woosung without difficulty or danger.

The Warren, according to latest news last night, was to reach Woosung about 6 o'clock this morning, where she is being met by tugs sent from Shanghai to render what assistance may be necessary. The fire at that time was reported to be well under control.

The Warren, during her U. S. army transport days, was a familiar caller at Shanghai. She is a ship of about 5,000 tons and was sold some time ago to Chinese shipping interests in Manila by the United States Government. The Warren plies mainly between Manila and the China coast ports and on her present trip was coming from Manila.

SEIYUKAI PLAN OVERTHROW OF KIYOURA RULE

Decide To Support Resolution Of Lack Of Confidence In New Cabinet

(*Reuter's Pacific Service*)
Tokio, Jan. 16.—A meeting of the Seiyukai Party, who are in the majority in the Lower House, today decided to support a resolution of lack of confidence in the new Government immediately after the diet convenes.

It is believed that the near approach of the Imperial wedding will be regarded as sufficient reason to order a recess over the occasion, after which, unless a compromise can be reached, Viscount Kiyoura may decide to go to the country.

As a general election in the regular course of events is due this spring, a dissolution would be regarded as sound policy on the part of the Government in order to avoid defeat while the Diet is in session.

(*Reuter's Pacific Service*)
Tokio, Jan. 17.—A new situation in the political crisis has developed as the result of a split in the Seiyukai Party, five of the leaders of which announce that they are in disagreement with the President, Viscount Takahashi, and will organize a new party which, it is understood will support Viscount Kiyoura.

Roumania Plans To Continue Bank

(*Exclusive China Press*)
Geneva, Jan. 17.—The Roumanian Government is preparing a bill providing for the extension of the Roumanian National Bank for another thirty years, and offering to repay state debts to the bank within twenty years.

General Amnesty Planned In Greece

(*Exclusive China Press*)
London, Jan. 17.—The Greek government is preparing to grant amnesty to all political offenders, including those who were concerned in the last military revolt,

GERMAN SHIP OWNERS OPPOSE BRITISH PARLEY

Decline To Negotiate With Striking Seamen In London

(Reuter's Service)
London, Jan. 16.—Reuter's Agency learns that, replying to the proposal that a conference of German shipowners and the German seamen on strike should be held in London under the auspices of the British National Sailors' and Firemen's Union, German shipowners declare that discussion with British unions about German wages is completely out of the question. If British and German wages are to be compared, account must be taken of the total difference in the situation of the United Kingdom and Germany. Since November 1, German seamen's wages have been fully paid in gold currency based on the dollar and are therefore independent of all currency fluctuations.

(Reuter's Service)
London, Jan. 16.—At the close of a conference of port employers and the Transport-Workers' Union on the latter's claim for an increase of dockers' wages throughout the country by two shillings a day it was announced that the employers had informed the Union that they were unable in the present condition of trade to concede any increase in wages. The Union is reporting the matter to a delegate conference.

Henderson Visits Rail Union Chiefs

(Reuter's Service)
London, Jan. 16.—In view of the determination of the National Union of Locomotive Engineers and Firemen to strike importance is attached to an unexpected visit to their headquarters today of Mr. Arthur Henderson, the Secretary of the Labor Party. It is believed to be connected with efforts at mediation.

(Reuter's Service)
London, Jan. 17.—Bicycles and motorcycles are undergoing overhaul in anticipation of the beginning of the railway strike on Sunday at midnight. The railway companies express confidence of their ability to run a good service with drivers not belonging to the affected union.

Masonic Honors Are Given Peking Man

(Reuter's Pacific Service)
Peking, Jan. 14.—At a special meeting of the Chung Tsu Consistory of the Ancient and Accepted Scottish Rite of Freemasonry held at the Masonic Temple on Sunday evening C. B. Bennett, Venerable Master of the Consistory, acting as the delegate of Illustrious Brother Lobingier, Deputy and Legate of the Supreme Council in China, presented Alexander Ramsay with the English and Latin patents conferring upon him the honor of Knight Commander of the Court of Honor. This is the first time such a distinction has been conferred in Peking. It is given to those Brethren "who have deserved well of the Rite."

Sun To Announce Independent Rule

(Reuter's Pacific Service)
Canton, Jan. 15.—Mr. C. C. Wu, Dr. Sun Yat-sen's Secretary for Foreign Affairs, has intimated that Dr. Sun will soon declare the Canton military administration an independent government.

Kuomintang Meet At Canton Put Off

(Reuter's Pacific Service)
Canton, Jan. 15.—The Kuomintang Party has postponed the National Convention at Canton owing to many delegates having failed to reach Canton from Shanghai by today.

FORM NEW COMPANY

(Reuter's Pacific Service)
Hongkong, Jan. 16.—A new company, the Hongkong and Territories Estates, Limited, of which Messrs. Shawan, Tomes and Company are the General Managers, has been registered with a capital of \$5,000,000.

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Foster Is On Trial As Syndicalist



William Z. Foster, of Chicago, noted radical, is on trial in St. Joseph, Michigan, on charges of criminal syndicalism, growing out of a convention of reds held in a lonely sand dune, near there, months ago. More than a score of his associates are awaiting trial.

U. S. LEGATION PROTESTS RAID ON HUNAN TOWN

(Reuter's Pacific Service)
Peking, Jan. 14.—A protest has been lodged with the Wai-chiaoju by the American Legation in connection with events that occurred during the looting of Supu, Hunan, by bandits on the 3rd instant, coupled with a demand for protection in that locality.

(Reuter's Pacific Service)
Peking, Jan. 14.—The two Japanese officers of the Yiyang Maru captured by the Szechuen army and held for ransom are now reported to be at Chishuling and are said to be quite well. The Japanese Consul from Ichang who has gone to endeavor to effect their release has interviewed General Hsi Ching-yang at Neikianghsien.

Obituary

DR. L. E. HOLT
Northern papers record the sudden death of Dr. L. E. Holt, one of America's foremost specialists in children's diseases and professor of that department at Columbia University, which took place on the night of January 13. He died of heart failure and has been confined in the P. U. M. C. for about a month.

Dr. Holt came to China last October as an exchange professor for the Rockefeller Foundation. He was 69 years of age being born in March 1855. Mrs Holt was with him in Peking.

CLOTHING ASKED

Gifts of men's are asked by the China Central Committee of the American Red Cross and will be gratefully received at 4 Quinsan Gardens.

Tale Of Rescue Of Japanese Crew At Sea Is Told Here

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time. The Kyosei Maru had been loaded with grain in bulk at Tacoma for Dalren and under the stress of the heavy seas and the battering the old Japanese ship had received the grain had filled the pumps and bilges. It was impossible for the Japanese ship to pump out the usual amount of water, let alone the sea that was constantly leaking in from the rough handling Father Neptune was handing out.

THE RESCUE
At 1:20 p.m. that day—twenty minutes later than Captain Lustie had figured the day before—the McKinley sighted the Kyosei Maru. The Japanese ship at that time was right on the edge of a blizzardy bank of snow clouds and had the American ship been a little later it is quite possible it would have not sighted the Kyosei Maru. As it was it was necessary for Captain Lustie to have an improvised radio direction-finder rigged up to assist in locating the Japanese ship.

The McKinley stood by the Kyosei all day, and all night steaming alongside at 8 knots as the Japanese captain, for some reason still undetermined, kept steaming ahead despite the gale and heavy seas.

At 6 o'clock the next morning the Japanese captain signified his intention of abandoning ship and Chief Officer C. L. McGregor of the McKinley volunteered to take command of the life-boat. Eight American seamen volunteered to go with him. The McKinley's lifeboat was safely lowered despite the high seas and worked around on the leeward side of the Kyosei. The lifeboat proceeded with extreme care because the Japanese ship was of the old-style turret deck type, an extremely hard type of vessel to clear easily.

OFF SAFE
Chief Officer McGregor then discovered that the Japanese ship had a wooden life-boat in good

ANXIETY GOES

When Baby's Own Tablets Are Made Your Children's Medicine
The fame of Baby's Own Tablets, Canada's popular remedy for children's ailments, continues to spread. Here is evidence from a satisfied parent at Raub, Federated Malay States, Mr. G. M. Rajendrum, clerk in the Courts at that place, writes:—

"Following a severe cold my child, aged 3 years, had a cough at night which disturbed his sleep. This cough was attended by difficulty in breathing such as you see in asthmatic people, and I went on for about three months. 'The usual cough mixtures were tried but found useless, so I obtained a bottle of Baby's Own Tablets. A change for the better was noticeable in the child before half these Tablets had been used. Now he is quite free from the trouble. I am indebted to Baby's Own Tablets for the quiet nights he enjoys and for being relieved of all the anxious fears we had about his health.'"

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condition hanging on her davits and yelled instructions to the Japanese for some of them to lower it as he did not want to risk having his metal boat alongside any longer than absolutely necessary for fear of its being crushed. Half of the crew got away safely in the wooden boat and then Chief Officer McGregor maneuvered alongside and took off the remaining members of the crew and the captain. Two hours after the McKinley's lifeboat was launched the crew of the sinking ship were all safely on board the McKinley.

Of the 47 rescued three or four were Chinese. All were discharged at Yokohama, where they were met by their Kobe agent. The Kyosei Maru, 23 days at sea, was 100 miles away from the nearest speck of land, the Aleutian Islands, when ship was abandoned, and although the Japanese reported that they had opened the sea-cocks when they abandoned ship Captain Lustie immediately sent out wireless messages, warning the Coast Guard and other ships that the vessel was a dangerous derelict. It was still afloat when the McKinley pulled away and no estimate of how long it might stay afloat was possible.

Captain Lustie, upon arrival in Kobe, received the following letter of appreciation from the Kyosei Kisen Kaisha, Ltd. of Dalren: "Captain A. O. Lustie, Commanding Str. President McKinley, Kobe, Japan."

"With reference to the recent misfortune of our steamer Kyosei Maru in the Pacific Ocean, we have the honor to express our best

thanks for the gallant and humane work done by your command.

"We have fully been informed by the master of the steamer of your action taken in accordance with the circumstances which is indeed one of the most beautiful stories in history of shipping."

"We shall be very greatly obliged if you will kindly convey to your officers and men and also passengers aboard expression of our most heartfelt gratitude and appreciation."

"Thanking you again for your kindest efforts."

We are,
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BEWARE OF IMITATIONS

Japan Asks Grain For Quake Victims

(Reuter's Pacific Service)
Peking, Jan. 14.—According to Chinese reports the Japanese Minister has requested the Government to extend the period in which grain could be exported from Manchuria to aid sufferers from the earthquake in Japan. The matter is under consideration.

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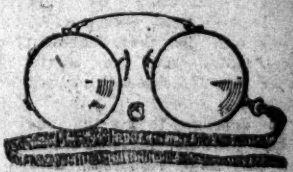
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NEXT AMERICAN MAIL DUE ON PRES. LINCOLN

Andre Lebon Takes European Mail This Morning

The next mail from the United States will arrive on the President Lincoln tomorrow, and mail for the States is to leave on the President Madison next Sunday. The Lincoln left Kobe this morning, and is to dock at the China Merchants' Central Wharf at 11 o'clock tomorrow morning. The liner has on board 257 sacks of mott, silver bars, 1,800 tons of cargo and a full list of passengers for this port, and will sail for Hongkong and Manila at 8 o'clock Sunday morning.

The Madison arrives in Shanghai from Hongkong tomorrow morning and docks at the Central Wharf at 10 o'clock. The vessel will sail for Seattle via Japan ports at 8 o'clock Sunday morning, and mail closes at 9 o'clock tomorrow night.

The President McKinley which arrived in Shanghai from Seattle yesterday morning and docked at the China Merchants' Central Wharf, brought 1,513 bags of mail as well as passengers and freight for this port. The vessel is to sail for Hongkong and Manila at 8 o'clock tomorrow morning.

Following the sailing of the Andre Lebon for Marseilles this morning, the next mail for Europe will leave on the P. & O. steamer Macedonia next Tuesday. The tender with passengers for the Lebon will leave the M.M. Jetty, French Bund, at 8 o'clock this morning.

The P. and O. liner Morea, which arrived from London last Wednesday and docked at the Hongkong Wharf, will sail for Hull and Kobe at 8 o'clock tomorrow morning.

Mixed Cargo

(Continued from Page 1)
e edition is being rapidly changed it remains to be widely made known among American manufacturers that in Great Britain there are many industrial establishments that were greatly overbuilt during the war and which are now earnestly seeking for something to make for the British market which will start up their idle machinery.

HONGKONG LARD

Lard is an important item of export in the trade of Hongkong, but trading in this commodity during the past year appears to have been disappointing. Outside of the regular native business between Hongkong and Java and the Philippines the value of the exports from Hongkong was indeed negligible. The "Hongkong Daily Press" attributes this to the civil disturbances in the neighboring provinces and the general lawless state of the country. We are told that considerable difficulty was experienced last year in moving hogs from the interior of South China to Hongkong, and as a result arrivals fell well below the average. This caused a scarcity of the raw material, leading to high prices.

Yunnanese Mutiny In South Overcome

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Canton, Jan. 15.—The mutiny of the Third Corps of the Yunnanese Army has been quashed. General Chiang Kwang-liang is expected to yield the control of the Canton-Samshui Railroad, which he has controlled since the occupation of the West River in January last year.

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News Brevities

Miss Florence Knight of Samuel Samuel and Company in Tokyo is arriving in Shanghai on the President McKinley for a vacation.

The engagement has been announced in Kobe of Miss Marion King and Mr. James Land, both popular members of the younger set of the Japanese port.

The announcement meeting of the members of the Columbia Country Club will be held at the Clubhouse this afternoon at 6 o'clock.

The Carlton Theater announces that because of the success of Douglas Fairbanks' great spectacle, "Robin Hood," the engagement has been extended for three days until January 23.

The output of rubber from the Permatia Rubber Estate Limited for the month of December was 8,573 lbs.

Silk forwarded from Shanghai for the Canadian Pacific steamer Empress of Australia at 8.45 p.m. on December 24, arrived in New York at 11.35 p.m. on January 14, having been 21 days 2 hours and 11 minutes in transit. Their next

sailing will be the Empress of Russia hence Feb. 9.

Mrs. Theodore Roosevelt, widow of the late President, and Mr. Kermit Roosevelt, are arriving in Shanghai on the President Lincoln tomorrow. They are en route to Manila to visit with Governor General Leonard Wood.

The Rev. and Mrs. A. Anderson and family arrived in Shanghai on the President McKinley from San Francisco yesterday. Mr. L. H. Burke, Mr. C. B. Gardner and Mr. W. B. Pettus were also among passengers arriving on the McKinley.

Thirty cases came before the special Traffic Branch of the Mixed Court yesterday, 27 concerning motor cars and three carriages. The offenses were all of a minor nature and fines ranged from \$3 to \$15. L. Buhmann, German, was the only foreigner

to come before the Court. He was fined \$10 for failing to obey police signals at the corner of Nanking and Szechuen roads on January 6.

The local Japanese Telegraph office announces that telegraphic service between Shanghai and Tokio, which had been temporarily suspended owing to the last earthquake, has been reopened.

A Russian named Boris Moskevich appeared in the Mixed Court yesterday charged with disorderly conduct on Seward Road on Wednesday night. There was evidence that he is of unsound mind and the Court ordered him to the police hospital for observation.

A Chinese woman charged with

running a gambling establishment at 3 Pakhoi Road was fined \$30 by the Mixed Court yesterday, with the alternative of two weeks' imprisonment, while 31 gamblers arrested in the police raid were fined \$2 each.

Over two hundred friends, including local officials and prominent members of the Chinese community were entertained at a banquet given last night by Mr. Chang Nieh-yung, the popular attorney, at the Great Eastern Hotel.

TUAN CHI-JUI BETTER

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Tientsin, Jan. 17.—Marshal Tuan Chi-jui's condition has improved and he is now out of danger.

Halt Szechuen Tax On Foreign Tobacco

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Peking, Jan. 14.—In response to a protest from foreign Legations the Government has telegraphed to the Civil Governor of Szechuen instructing him to stop the tax being imposed on foreign tobacco, as it is in direct conflict with treaty obligations.

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Kitchen Coal No. 2 (Screened)	\$17.00 per ton
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THE CHINA PRESS, FRIDAY, JANUARY 15, 1924

China Press Sports

The Dog Watch

By Westa

BILL Tilden, the tennis champion, has kicked up a fine row for himself with certain of the moguls of the United States Lawn Tennis association, and also with many of his fellow players, as a result of articles on tennis that he has been writing for newspapers and athletic periodicals.

Bill's difficulties appear to have resulted from a discovery on his part that in the person of Bill Tilden the world was enjoying the privilege of gazing upon a tennis player who towered at least a million miles above any racket wielder, living or dead, that ever stepped on a court.

The world, or the part of it that is interested in tennis, was rather eagerly willing to admit all this about Bill until recently. As a matter of fact the tennis champion had only to open a newspaper to find the tennis experts falling all over themselves in their eagerness to encase his noble bean in a wreath of laurel, or roses, or hollyhocks, or whatever it is they drape upon the domes of super champions. In all countries and climes and by all classes he was hailed as the one and only, the inimitable, the unapproachable.

FROM being thus loudly acclaimed Bill apparently came to the conclusion that all the nice things that were being said about him must be true, and that since everybody else admitted it he might as well do so himself. That, it will be recalled, is exactly the idea that found its way into the osteoclerotic dome of Babe Ruth a year or so ago, causing him no end of grief subsequently.

In this conclusion Bill, like the Sultan of Swat, was guilty of a tremendously important miscalculation, namely, that while the customers may take the keenest delight in acclaiming their heroes, that privilege is one they reserve exclusively for themselves, and woe to the athlete who assumes that because the crowd in the grandstand says he is a great guy, he therefore has the right to assume so himself, and to declare himself accordingly.

"You are a great guy," says the crowd to the hero.

"You are right; I am a great guy," answers the hero.

"You are a liar; you are a damned mouthed four flusher," retorts the crowd instantly and indignantly.

TILDEN is admittedly the world's greatest tennis player; perhaps the best the world has ever known, but that applies to singles only. In doubles he always has been a washout, no less an authority than Harold H. Hackett, of the Davis Cup committee and himself a great player of other days, having described his display in the doubles of 1922 and last year the "worst with one exception in the whole history of Davis Cup Competitions."

Last year when the matches in the Cup doubles stood two sets to one against Tilden and his partner, Hackett and other members of the committee went to Tilden during the intermission between the third and fourth sets and practically read the riot act to him. They told him, in effect, that the thing urgently necessary for him to understand was that he was not, as he believed, the whole show, and that unless he got in there and played position he would be yanked forthwith. Previous to that Bill had ignored his partner, assuming that he could carry the whole load himself, with the result that the Australians made him look silly. After the club house warning he went back to the doubles fundamental, which is position play, and right away he and Williams took the remaining two sets and the match.

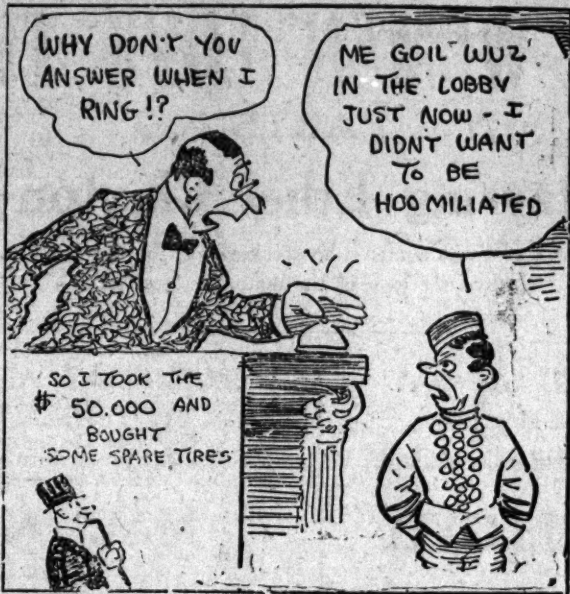
Tilden afterward wrote an article for "American Lawn Tennis" in which he criticised the committee, Hackett included, for intervening during the Davis Cup match, saying among other things "that suggestions on methods of

play would come better at any other time than between the third and fourth sets, when it is too late to change."

This brought a hot retort from Hackett, who very pointedly reminded Bill that they were not "suggestions" at all, but instructions, and after reminding the player that observance of these instructions resulted in pulling the match from the fire he goes on at considerable length to inform the tennis champ that while his exploits with the racket have made him a big figure in tennis, he is still a long way short of being bigger than the game itself.

And that idea, to wit, the idea that the champion is bigger than the game, was one that was rapidly getting a foothold in Bill's belfry, judged by numerous comments in homeside papers recently.

FEVERISH FABLES



Coming To Lyceum

An unusual sort of entertainment, wherein author and actor appears beyond the footlights in a series of playlets and sketches, is announced to begin at the Lyceum Theater on January 25. The actor-manager-author in the case is Mr. T. J. Fenwick and the rest of the company is Tina Gerald.

Press notices from other cities in the East, and elsewhere, give a flattering account of the abilities of these two artists. The sketches, they say, are pertinent to modern times, adroitly carried out and of much dramatic and literary merit.

The idea of a pair of artists touring the world to give full evenings' performances of their own composition is more or less a novel one, at least in the experience of this part of the map, and this dup comes here with much commendation, giving theater-goers hereabouts something to anticipate.

There is to be a special performance by Mr. Fenwick and Miss Gerald at the Country Club next Tuesday tickets for which may be secured at the Club.

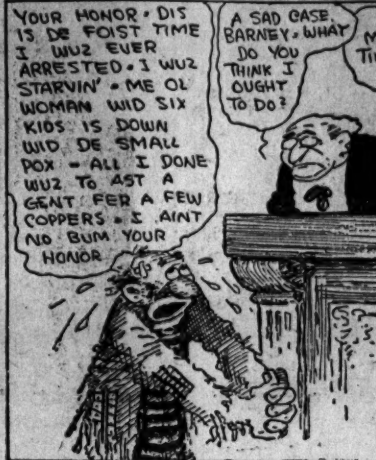
Holiday Program At Union Church

The King's Daughters' Society gave their annual tea on January 13 in the Union Church Hall, where over 120 youngsters and their mothers were entertained. Much enjoyment was caused by the playing of old fashioned games, following which tea was served. A short program of songs and dances followed, in which some members of the No. 3 Company Girl Guides and scholars of the Union Church Sunday School took part.

Santa Claus put in his appearance at 5:30 p.m. and was kept busy for an hour distributing gifts among the delighted members of the audience.

Special thanks are due to the scholars of Union Church Sunday School for 133 gifts for the Tree and a money contribution, to Messrs. Whiteaway, Laidlaw for toys, to Cafe Cecil for a contribution of cakes, to Messrs. Ander-

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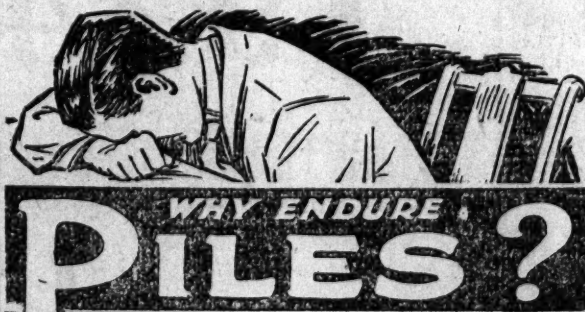


Kiangwan Starting Times

SATURDAY			
12.30 Lancaster	Wheen	8.54 Chasels	Lobel
12.34 Lowell	Smith	8.58 Rigge	Henderson
12.38 Underwood	Henderson	9.02 Noxon	Hashagen
12.42 Andrews	Terrell	9.06 Grant	Longfellow
12.46 Kearton		9.10 Lofting	Gray
12.50 Merrill	Van Bergen	9.14 Potter	Lowell
12.54 Downs	DeBerry	9.18 Crosthwaite	Wainwright
12.58 Lofting	Mrs. Lofting	9.22 Kinnear	Robertson
1.02 Mansel Smith	Read	9.26 Doves	Ellis
1.06 Langley Smith	Kinnear	9.30 Bailie	Stafford
1.10 Harry	Renwick	9.34 Bell	Bliss
1.14 Grant	Stalker	9.38 Blackburn	Mills
1.18 Longfellow	Hashagen	9.42 Downs	DeBerry
1.22 H. Bell	Ivy	9.46 Standing	Sturton
1.26 Openshaw	Maughan	9.50 Oswald	Muriel
1.30 Lane	Page	9.54 Godby	Ball
1.34 J. B. Ferrier	Seth	9.58 Cobb	Marple
1.38 Sturton	Downie	10.02 J. B. Ferrier	Seth
1.42 Ball Pugh	Hearne	10.06 Woodford	L. Arnold
1.46 Woodford	Scarborough	10.10 Hollyer	B. Sayer
1.50 Standing	MacDonald	10.14 Brook	When
1.54 Oswald	Mrs. Oswald	10.18 R. G. MacDonald	
1.58 Keating	Wells	10.22 Scarborough	Herbert
2.02 Boyes	Elliott	10.26 Sadoine	Irwin
2.06 Openshaw	Clay	10.30 Barrett	Hutchison
2.10 Blackburn	Gray	10.34 Dahlin	Cooke
2.14 Glover	Smith	10.38 Underwood	Mennie
2.18 R. G. MacDonald		10.42 Openshaw	Openshaw
2.22 Wainwright	Hayward	10.46 Mansel Smith	Macphail
2.26 Sadoine	Neild	10.50 Orwin	Malcolm
2.30 Dewar	Cooke	10.54 Morrison	Lane
2.34 Brown	Sheridan	10.58 Sheridan	Torrey
2.38 Cobb	Porter		
2.42 Bowerman	Mennie		
2.46 Gardner	Wood		
2.50 Clifton	Bowker		
2.54 Storer	Lobel		
2.58 Hay	Mrs. Hay		
3.02 Neal	Walters		
SUNDAY			
8.30	Millington		
8.34 F. Lloyd	Sweet		
8.38 McGregor	Walters		
8.42 Evans	Hewkin		
8.46 Ward	Terrell		
8.50 Andrews			

Association Football

(Reuter's Service)
London, Jan. 16.—F. A. Cup First Round Replays.
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Brighton & Hove 1, Barnsley 0.
Gillingham 0, Cardiff City 2.
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By Billy De Beck

Wintergarden To Have Gymnasium As New Attraction

Lloyd E. Brown, proprietor of the Wintergarden Cafe, has been bitten by the sporting bug to such an extent that he announces the opening of a gymnasium in the ball room upstairs over his establishment on Ningpo Road. Sid Keenan and Eddie Wolff, the well known boxfighters, will be in charge of the new venture and will conduct special classes for business men from 4 to 6 every evening. (The new place will be the headquarters for Shanghai's athletic fraternity, as all the boys will do their training there.)

Mr. Brown has also taken over the management of Keenan and Wolff.

Hockey Clubs To Play Tomorrow

The following will represent the Shanghai Hockey Club against the Junior Hockey Club and Club Lusitano mixed tomorrow at 3 p.m. on Shanghai Polo Ground. Messrs. V. P. Jones, W. G. B. Murphy, A. S. H. Thompson, G. A. Browne, V. B. H. Hughes, H. Mathews, T. Addis, A. O. Hyland, V. H. Lanning, J. J. Muller, P. G. Wicks.

Interport Rugby Game Tomorrow

There will be an Interport trial game tomorrow afternoon on the Cricket Club ground—kick off 3:15 p.m. The following have been chosen to play.

Blacks—O. G. R. Beynon, G. F. H. Richard, H. W. P. McMeekin, A. J. W. Evans, R. Burns, R. I. S. Webb, G. E. Goolden, J. R. Harder, E. H. C. Lamb, L. H. Thorn, C. C. Roberts, G. M. Cameron, A. Andrews, J. L. Wilson, R. M. Howells.

Whites—G. D. Nicholl, J. G. Shaw, L. P. Ralph, C. R. W. Thomson, J. R. Milligan, W. D. Neil, L. M. Bell, J. H. Raikes, S. A. Grew, C. T. Davis, E. A. Jenkinson, J. C. Stewart, E. J. Dowley, C. E. Fleury, D. W. Leach.



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Far Effect Of Quake On Exchange In Japan

(Exclusive China Press)

Tokio, Jan. 17.—Early reports of large casualties and extensive damage in the earthquake shock yesterday morning have been found to be largely exaggerated. Although the shock was severe, and had it occurred prior to the September disaster it would have caused great havoc.

The greatest damage caused by yesterday's tremor is seen in the financial world. The exchange of the yen, weakened by the disaster, is suffering from a waning confidence in other countries as a future stability of Japan. It is held here, are uncertain.

In the view of experts that Japan is still subject to frequent severe shocks, which are in the nature of settling shocks following the September upheaval, but not believed that any of them will do damage in any way important to that wrought in September.

Reports from the country districts southwest of Yokohama and the neighborhood on Fujiyama state that the total death toll will be approximately thirty. Hundreds of houses, most of which had been damaged in September, were merely temporarily shaken or collapsed completely.

Financial circles are expressing great anxiety over the possible effect of this second

quake on the exchange and loan situations.

(Eastern News Agency)

Tokio, Jan. 16.—The most serious damage done by the last earthquake was, it has come to light, in Sagami Province, covering Totsuka, Atsuki, Matsuda and Isehara. According to investigations made by the authorities concerned, in the above districts, 12 persons were killed, 275 injured, 757 houses totally destroyed, and 3,772 partly destroyed. Besides, it is expected that many more houses have been demolished in other towns and villages. In the district of Tokio, 6 lives were lost, 43 persons wounded, 6 houses totally destroyed and 98 partly ruined.

(Reuters Pacific Service)

Tokio, Jan. 16.—With a view to stabilizing the exchange, the Government has decided to release specie reserves held abroad for the importation of absolute necessities.

(Reuters Pacific Service)

Tokio, Jan. 16.—Reports coming in show that the earthquake situation is practically the same as that outlined by the Reuters despatches of January 15. Nervousness was general throughout Tokio during the night owing to widespread wild rumors, but while there were a few mild tremors, nothing worthy of note has occurred since six o'clock yesterday morning.

The death toll is about thirty, all Japanese. No notable personages were injured. All communications have been restored, though there is a considerable delay in telegrams.

dummy with not one but three stickpins of varying size and startling brilliancy of color and glitter. This is the corner where the traffic in wheel-barrow loads of produce and materials is thickest, for Chapoo road from here to the creek is occupied entirely by godowns, so that we may hear shortly of the formulation of new traffic rules especially applicable to this spot, in order to keep the narrow wheels turning and the coolies ambling along.

United States cruiser Tacoma is now en route to Vera Cruz. It is reported that the representatives of three American banks are en route to Mexico City to negotiate a loan of 25,000,000 pesos to the Obregon Government.

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American Warships Ordered To Mexico

(Reuters American Service)
Mexico City, Jan. 16.—The American Charge d'Affaires has obtained the Obregon Government's permission for two United States warships to visit Vera Cruz and Tuxpam. The

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The Streets Of Shanghai

(Continued from Page 1)

whole, they hold their own and they are palms.

North from Chapoo and Chinan roads, the street runs out into a perfect fever of small Japanese plumbing and electrical shops, with one of the two principal sukiyaki houses the street harbors mixed between somewhere. In this section, too, is a "movie,"

emphasized, usually, with wild photographs purporting to be authentic films of life on the eastern plains of the United States. These studio-manufactured thrillers of two-gun men stage coach desperadoes are the schools in which Oriental criminals and potential bandits learn their "stick-up" lessons for who is to tell them these films are monstrous untruths in one of the hyper-tellurized countries of the world?

The little pink and white enamel Japanese lady in native kimono, Western fur neckerchief and lavender silk gloves, standing in the posters of another "feature film" can't be missed, either, if she believes that the American lady in the evening picture who neglects her home and children to elope with the first handsome jack-knife who says "hello kid," is a deception and not the rule.

South from Chapoo and Chinan Garden, after Boone and the street surrenders to hawkers, tailors and stationers and the other principal hawk house where foreigners go to have chicken, beef and vegetables cooked before their eyes by a little Japanese

This is a district of humor, many signs and sights. King of a Chinese tailor, who announces on a swinging board that he is an army and navy tailor, and especially solicits orders from ladies and gentlemen visiting Japan. Possibly a tailor, not too burdened with tradition, and influenced by the overwhelming Japanese population all about him, for Chapoo road is one of the main thoroughfares in the Hongkew section, believes that Shanghai has been absorbed by Japan. Possibly, he has in stock certain earthquake-proof materials which he would recommend for tourists bound Japanward.

At Woochang and Chapoo there is a store in which a male dummy of the species of Chamberlain's Cough Syrup and in all that time we have never heard of a single diseased user, nor a dealer who is asked to recommend it in the same terms to his patrons. Those in childhood took it for colds, croup and whooping cough are now giving it to their children and grand children with the same good results. For every where,

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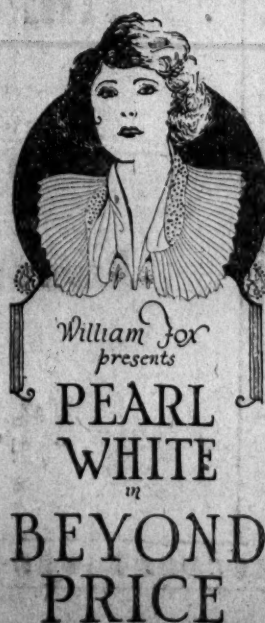
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Cabinet Members Rally To Defense Of Baldwin In Debate In Commons

Foreign Policies Of Government Are Defended By Ronald McNeill Who Predicts Poincare Cannot Be Stamped On With Heavy Heel

(Reuter's Service)
London, Jan. 16.—The House of Commons was crowded today on the resumption of the debate on the Address from the Throne.

In the course of a lengthy statement on foreign affairs Mr. Ronald McNeill, the Under-Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, warmly replying to indictment of the Government's foreign policy, pointed out that foreign policy was essentially continuous and that, if there had been gross mismanagement in the past five years the Government's chief critics were most largely responsible. In his opinion Mr. Lloyd George would agree that, if Mr. Ramsay MacDonald was going to the Foreign Office with a broad foot and a big heel to stamp upon M. Poincare with a view to establishing peace in Europe, he would find that he was in for a very heavy disillusionment (Ministerial cheers).

The speaker claimed that the Government had lost no opportunity to enlist the assistance of the United States or to take any means open to them to arrive at a solution of the reparations question.

SEPARATIST MOVEMENT
With regard to separation in the Rhineland the Government's attitude had been that they were unable to sanction any separatism amounting to a declaration of independence in the state forming part of the Reich, which would take them outside the Reich, because that would alter the whole situation with regard to the treaty. However, if they wanted home rule inside the Reich, Britain would not interfere, provided there was sufficient demonstration that it was the will of the people themselves.

Obviously in the greater part of the Rhineland the separatist movement was not spontaneous and, owing very largely to the influence of Britain supported by Belgium, it had come to a natural end, but in the Palatinate it had assumed graver proportions. At first it appeared that it might be genuine, but latterly the Government had concluded that it was not now genuine and believed that if it was left to itself, it would very soon collapse. The Government had sent Mr. R. H. Clive to the Palatinate to ascertain the facts. This has caused a certain amount of additional friction between Britain and France, but Mr. McNeill greatly hoped that the friction would soon be smoothed over and that Mr. Clive's report would enable the Government clearly to determine their action.

Mr. McNeill defended the Government's policy with regard to the Ruhr. He claimed that those criticising the Government on the ground that British prestige had been lost were wrong. Lieutenant-General Sir Charles Harington, lately the British Commander in Chief at Constantinople, said that British prestige in the Near East had never been higher. Field Marshal Lord Allenby, the High Commissioner for Egypt, said the same about Egypt. One of the Dominions leaders at the

imperial Conference had told him that wherever he went, he found that the one country whose moral approval or disapproval counted was British.

A SAD PREDICTION
In conclusion Mr. McNeill said that, according to all reports, Mr. MacDonald was himself going to the Foreign Office. He confidently predicted that before many months Mr. MacDonald would tell the House of Commons that he was completely disillusioned.

Replying to Mr. Lloyd George, Mr. Neville Chamberlain, the Chancellor of the Exchequer, said that Germany had now agreed to give an undertaking for the eventual reimbursement of German exporters in connection with our Reparations Recovery Act and a German representative was on the way to England to discuss the method. He detailed the steps taken to ensure that the big stocks of steel accumulated in the occupied territories, estimated at 2,000,000 to 3,500,000 tons, should not be disposed of in a way likely to dislocate world markets. A British mission was proceeding thither and Britain had suggested the establishment of an Inter-Allied Disposals Board. The French had arranged not to license exports exceeding the average rate of export in 1922.

Replying to Sir John Simon (Liberal Member for Spen Valley) Mr. Chamberlain said that though the present reparations in kind were less than before the occupation of the Ruhr, it was his opinion in view of M. Poincare's assurances that no industrial arrangement between French and German firms had up to the present been made and the British Government would be given the fullest chance of expressing their views if an arrangement were proposed.

Mr. Frederick George Penny (Conservative Member for Kingston-upon-Thames) suggested that France should be asked for an assurance that she meant to honor her debt obligations to Britain and that she and others should pay us something on account until a final adjustment was made. The House then adjourned until tomorrow when the Labor amendment of no confidence will be moved.

Six Suspects Face Charges Of Murder And Armed Robbery

Murder, attempted murder and armed robbery were the charges brought against six Chinese who appeared before Assessor Jacobs and Magistrate Kwan in the Mixed Court yesterday. The sextette were arrested on January 5 and were originally charged with being in possession of firearms. Subsequent inquiries by the police developed the suspicion that they had been connected with numerous recent armed robberies.

The additional charges placed against the men yesterday included an armed robbery at 511 Paoing Road on December 5, when \$32 constituted the loot; an armed robbery to the country off Wuting Road on December 29, when an attempt to murder one Wong Zien-kung was made and \$80 was stolen, and an armed robbery at 1935 East Yuhang Road on December 31, when one Zung Dah Kwe Tsze was shot dead and \$100 was stolen. The Court ordered a special hearing of the case and ruled that the accused be handed over to the French police in the meantime so that they may be questioned regarding armed robberies which they are suspected to have committed in the French Concession.

Wedding Gifts Are Sent Japan's Ruler

(Eastern News Agency)
Tokio, Jan. 16.—Various precious wedding gifts from the Chief Executives of the Allied Powers were sent to the Akasaka Detached Palace yesterday. It is learned on good authority that on the occasion of the Royal wedding of the Prince Regent and Princess Nagako Kuni, an Imperial ordinance will be issued with regard to amnesty as well as conferment of decorations, court-ranks and posthumous honors.

One-Armed Pianist Of Hungary Dead

(Exclusive China Press)
Berlin, Jan. 17.—Geza Zichy, one-armed Hungarian composer and pianist, died today at Budapest, according to a dispatch received from the Hungarian capital. He was 70 years old.

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Foodstuffs Loan Is Postponed Pending Inquiry By Experts

(Exclusive China Press)
Berlin, Jan. 17.—It was learned here today that proposals for an American foodstuffs loan for Germany have been postponed until after the allied committee of experts shall have completed their inquiry on Germany's capacity to pay reparations and made their report.

State Of Siege In Saxony Lightened

(Exclusive China Press)
Berlin, Jan. 17.—After an interview with Premier Heldt at Dresden, Defense Minister Gessler promised to alleviate the state of siege regulations in Saxony by instructing the military authorities not to interfere in the local administration.

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Bavarian Officers Arrested In Plot To Slay Von Seeckt

(Exclusive China Press)
Berlin, Jan. 17.—Two former Bavarian officers have been arrested on a charge of having intent to attempt to assassinate General Von Seeckt.

ASK CAPITAL INCREASE
(Reuter's Pacific Service)
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Shantung Officials Are Arrested In Connection With \$80,000 Opium Plot

Court Attendants Charged By Police With Attempting To Smuggle Enormous Quantity Of Narcotics Into Tsingtao

(Reuter's Pacific Service)
Peking, Jan. 14.—In connection with the recent seizure in Tsingtao by the Police of \$80,000 worth of opium, the International Anti-Opium Association has just received the following telegram from their Branch Association in Tsinanfu.

Hsiao Hsiao-yin, Secretary of the Shantung High Court, and Wang Tien-wei, Chief of the Tsingtao Court of Procurement, whilst smuggling an enormous amount of opium into Tsingtao were arrested together with the opium by the Tsingtao Police. At this time whilst foreign Powers are protesting and the Central Government Mandates are repeatedly emphasizing opium prohibition Hsiao and Wang pay no attention to the law although they themselves are authorities of Justice. Their conduct has stained the Justice of China. Besides a petition lodged by our Branch with the Minister of Justice asking for thorough investigation and strict punishment, we appeal to the parent Association to co-operate with us by making a similar protest.

(Signed) President of Shantung Branch International Anti-Opium Association.

The facts of the case as stated in recent Chinese papers show that eight large boxes were sealed with the seals of the High Court of Shantung and sent from Tsinanfu to Tsingtao by rail in the charge of Hsiao Hsiao-yin, secretary of the High Court. As the boxes were presumed to contain Court documents, no attention was paid to them by the railway police or Customs, but the small opium smugglers who have those engaged in big official transactions appealed to the head of police, who with his police seized the boxes whilst in the Procurement motorcar.

The "Ching Pao" states that the monthly sales of opium in Tsingtao amount to \$200,000 and if so, is a serious reflection upon the present administration and confirms the belief that the registration of opium smokers and the restriction under license enforced by the Japanese Administration has all vanished.

enough to attend Mrs. G. B. Fryer, practical demonstration on the preserving and bottling of vegetables last Friday will be glad to hear that she has promised to give a further demonstration in May of the correct methods to be employed in making jams and jellies.

ART SECTION

Members will be interested to learn that the very appealing pictorial poster advertising the entertainment on behalf of St. Dunstan's at present hanging in the hall of the Country Club, was designed and executed by Mrs. D. M. Roberts, Chairman of the above Section.

Tram Man Provokes Motor Car Driver; Case Goes To Court

Charges of obstructing traffic were dismissed against Mr. G. H. Wilder by Magistrate King in the British Police Court yesterday when Mr. Wilder said that he had driven his motor-car to front of a tram on the French Bund and held it up for 7 minutes deliberately, and not by reason of negligence.

The peculiar situation arose because Mr. Wilder was charged by the French police under a French Concession bye-law which states that a driver shall not "by reason of negligence" obstruct the traffic.

Mr. Wilder explained that his motor car was originally parked outside of Butterfield and Swire's with room for the tram to pass. The tram motorman, however, took occasion to swear at him. Mr. Wilder said, and he accordingly got in the car, chased the tram, and then blocked it by driving his car on the tracks in order to get the motorman's number so he could report him.

Magistrate King, after pondering the unique question with Solomon-like wisdom, dismissed the charge but said that the defendant was clearly in the wrong and that if the French police would find another bye-law under which to proceed he would have no hesitation in convicting.

British Women's Association

ST. DUNSTAN'S

Mr. W. Evelyn Cowen, travelling commissioner for St. Dunstan's organization for the care of soldiers blinded as a result of the great war, is visiting Shanghai as part of his tour to all the English speaking communities throughout the world.

Subscriptions from overseas have diminished of late, not from lack of sympathy but because the current opinion has been, that the demand for funds is not so urgent as in the past. This unhappily is not the case, many of the 30,000 men discharged from the army with defective eyesight are gradually going blind and are applying to St. Dunstan's for admission at the rate of 120 a year.

At a meeting at the British Consulate last Monday, a permanent committee was formed consisting of the presidents of the four national societies, viz.: St. Andrews, St. Georges, St. Patrick and St. David's, the Chairman of the Race Club and the editor of the North China Daily News, with Mrs. Gull, chairman, Mrs. Green, Vice-Chairman of the British Women's Association as joint secretaries and treasurers.

As a result of this meeting it was proposed to give an entertainment on behalf of St. Dunstan's at the Olympic Theatre on Monday the 28th inst. The entertainment will take the form of a lecture by Mr. Evelyn Cowen with cinematographic pictures showing the work of St. Dunstan's in all its phases.

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NOTES

Tickets for the lecture at \$2.00 each can be obtained at the P.W.A. Headquarters, Shanghai Club, Country Club and Moultres. It is hoped that members will do their utmost to promote the financial success of the entertainment. Those who are interested in this most deserving charity and are willing to sell tickets are requested to apply to Headquarters where they will be given books of 10 tickets to dispose of.

GARDENING SECTION

This enterprising section, not content with its successful rose, dahlia and sweet pea shows in the past, proposes to hold a show of early spring flowers, blossoms and flowering bulbs in the near future. The idea is a very novel one and should prove very attractive as the spring blossoms and flowers in Shanghai are really beautiful and bulbs with a small amount of care and attention on the part of the grower may be cultivated to perfection.

The date and classes for competition will be announced shortly and it is hoped that every section member will endeavor to exhibit in as many classes as possible.

To make the necessary preparations for the forthcoming show, a meeting will be held at 3.30 on Friday the 28th inst. at Mrs. Craddock's house, 76 Route de Say Zoonig, and all members of the section are asked to attend.

Mr. McGregor has kindly consented to address the members and to give some useful information for the benefit of those who wish to exhibit and tea will be served at the close of the meeting.

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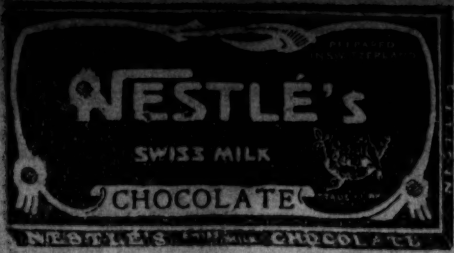
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AMERICAN WOMAN'S CLUB VARIETY SHOW at Olympic Theatre Jan. 25, 1924, at 9 p.m. Tickets on Sale at Moultres SATURDAY, THIRDS and dinners supreme. Fit for your stomach after for your purse. Monthly basis only. Eighteen Quinsan Gardens. Telephone. 64873 J 23 TO LET, comfortably furnished double and single rooms, good food and service. Apply 133 Bubbling Well Road near Race Course. Telephone W. 805. 64839 J 24 MRS. J. LEPETIT, 47 Bubbling Well Road, renumbered No. 11 Park Road, close to Race Course and New Carlton, large and small well furnished rooms, bathrooms attached. Excellent food. Meals served to outsiders. Phone W. 1215 64830 CENTRAL, quiet, comfortable home at a moderate price. Room is extra large, well furnished and has bathroom attached. Home cooking and good attendance. Apply to Box 1260, THE CHINA PRESS. 64861 J 24 UP to date rooms with full modern conveniences or full board at New Maxims Cafe, also separate meals on monthly or weekly basis. Tel. C. 1001, 1002. 64863 J 23 TO LET nicely furnished double bedroom with bath attached. With full board. Apply 29 Daikail Road. 64856 J 19 NEAR French Park, vacant 20th instant, nice and large double room, facing south, with separate and modern bathroom, permanent hot water. Also two attic rooms. Suitable for two friends. French cuisine and supervision. 127 Route Vallon, Phone W. 3125. 64816 J 20 FINELY furnished rooms and flats, with or without board, at 98 Avenue du Roi Albert. Each room has bathroom attached. Cheap terms. Phone West 4071. 64840 J 31 TO LET in private family, two rooms with private bathrooms, hot and cold water (no board). Western district near French Park. Apply to Box 1244, THE CHINA PRESS. 64825 J 18 TO LET for immediate occupation cozy attractive small bungalow, fully furnished, Route Lafayette, best part French Concession. Hot and cold water, gas, electricity, telephone, and all modern conveniences. Garage and servant quarters detached. Small garden. Monthly rental Tls. 150/00, lease optional. Ideal for married couple or two to three bachelors. Apply to Box 1251, THE CHINA PRESS. 64847 J 20 TO LET, six roomed residence, comfortably furnished, with servants' quarters, garage for two cars, tennis court, vegetable garden, Avenue Joffre, near French Club. From May 1st to December 1st. Apply to Box 1253, THE CHINA PRESS. T. F. 235 TO LET, near Race Course, comfortably furnished one or two rooms, private bathrooms attached, full board. Apply to 16 Weihaiwei Road. Tel. W. 2318. 64713 J 20 BEAUTIFULLY furnished rooms, bath attached. Excellent board. \$70 to 100 single, 100 to 150 per couple, 34, Haskell Road. 64609 J 18 101, Avenue Road, near Gordon Road. New private boarding house, well furnished double and single rooms, with private bathroom, excellent food and service. Phone W. 3056. 62518 FURNISHED ROOMS WANTED SOLID, refined bachelor (German) requires, from February 1, comfortable room with bathroom in private English speaking family. Reply stating terms to Box No. 1255, THE CHINA PRESS. 64851	EXCHANGE AND MORT WRIGHT AND BELYEA. For House boats and Motor boats. Works Woonung. Telephone Central 1133. T. F. FOR SALE, a small lot of American West China Navigation shares. What offers? Apply to Box 1267, THE CHINA PRESS. 64894 J 20 FOR SALE, first class cabaret whole or one half interest, doing very profitable business, no outstanding indebtedness, excellent furnishings. Not in Shanghai. Apply to Box 1264, THE CHINA PRESS. 64883 J 23 TWO Swiss goats, four and one years respectively. The older has one bad tooth but is good for breeding and will have young ones in a few weeks. The young goat is a beauty. Both for eighty dollars. John T. Littlejohn Jr., Tsinling, Shantung. 64895 J 18 FOR SALE, at less than half cost, Remington Typewriter and Billing machine, model No. 11, 18-inch carriage. Suitable for either billing or correspondence. Apply to Box 1259, THE CHINA PRESS. 64866 J 19 SALES of Szechuen crepe at the Woman's Exchange. Get your sport skirts and shirts for next summer before the supply is exhausted. (98 Avenue du Roi Albert, Wednesday and Friday or by appointment W. 4076. 64811 DAIRY farm for sale, A modern dairy farm at Tientsin, with 35 heads of cattle (Ayrshire, Holstein, Swiss) and scientific equipment, is to be sold at a low price. Apply to Box 1248, THE CHINA PRESS. 64831 J 22 FOR SALE, One Kelly-Springfield Motor Truck with a capacity of 3-tons, and fitted with an open truck body and driver's cab. This Truck is being disposed of solely due to its capacity being greater than that desired. A number of spares will be included in the sale. For inspection and trial please apply to Box 1256, THE CHINA PRESS. 64852 J 18 FOR SALE, at bargain price, Moultres upright piano, good tone, excellent blackwood mirror, 1 Buffet, etc. Apply 38 Route Vallon. 64814 J 17 BARGAINS are to be obtained in samples each day from \$1 upwards at Sample Sales Department of The British Manufacturers Agency Ltd., 31, Jinkee Road, ground floor. W. F. 237
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SHANGHAI, FRIDAY, JANUARY 18, 1924

LACTOGEN FOR
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Business and Official Notices



CONSULADO DE CHILE

Notice is hereby given that I have on the 8th instant established in this city the above Consulate in the Glen Line Building, room 305.

Chilean citizens residing in Shanghai are requested to register at the Consulate.

Merchants requiring shipping documents to be legalised are requested to call at the Consulate for information.

Office hours: from 10 to 12 a.m. and from 2 to 4 p.m.

Phone: Central No. 6025.
ALEJANDRO ARCE,
Consul.
64869 J 23

Shanghai Zionist Association

A public meeting will be held at the Royal Asiatic Society's Hall on Tuesday, 22nd instant, at 5.30 p.m., when Mr. PAUL MYRON LINEBARGER will deliver a lecture on the "NEW PROMISED LAND: A CHRISTIAN'S APPRECIATION OF THE ZIONIST MOVEMENT."

Judge CHARLES S. LOBINIER, of the United States Court for China, has kindly consented to preside.

Members and friends are cordially invited to attend.

N. E. B. EZRA,
Hon. Secretary.
Shanghai, 17th January, 1924.
64887 J 22

Shanghai Race Club

NOTICE re STABLES

APPLICATIONS for Stabling accommodation in the Club's Stables must be made on the forms provided, and must be forwarded to the undersigned before 6 p.m. on Wednesday, January 23, 1924. Applications received after this time and date will not be considered.

Members who have not received application forms and who desire same, can obtain forms at the Grand Stand or by applying to the undersigned.

Members are reminded that all Stable leases expire on January 31, 1924, and that new leases come into force on February 1, 1924.

The foregoing does not apply to the Club's new Great Western Road Stables.

By Order of the Stewards,
A. W. OLSEN,
Secretary,
Shanghai Race Club,
January 17, 1924.
64891 J 23

GODOWN TO LET:

200' x 75'.
PINGLIANG ROAD.
Apply to
ARNHOLD & CO., LTD.
64881 J 20

MUNICIPAL ORCHESTRA.

SYMPHONY CONCERT
Town Hall
Sunday, January 20, at 5 p.m.
Programme includes:
Ballet Music to "Rosamunde"
Suhubi
Symphony No. 7 in A major
Beethoven
SOLOIST: Mr. A. FOA (Violin)
Admission \$0.50—Gallery Free
(For full programme see news columns)
64889 J 18

New York Freight Bureau

FREIGHT TARIFF No. 3.
Dated 1st January 1924.

ADDENDUM No. 1

The following from Shanghai become effective immediately:

ADDITIONS.
Bismuth Ore 2% ad. valorem.
Rush Kapok \$310.00 per 40 cu. ft.

ALTERATION.
Walnuts (without shells)
Giant Moco \$315.00 per 40 cu. ft.

64892 J 18

In the United States Court for China

In re Estate of
EDWARD H. MURRAY,
Deceased.
Cause No. 2370
Estate No. 536
NOTICE

Pursuant to an Order of said Court, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against the estate of EDWARD H. MURRAY, deceased, to present the same, with vouchers, to the undersigned on or before July 4, 1924, and all persons owing debts to said deceased are hereby notified to make payment of the same in due course to the undersigned.

MICHAEL R. HEALY,
Administrator,
16, Jinkee Road,
Shanghai, China.
January 4, 1924.
64586

In the United States Court for China

In re Last Will and Testament of
JULIAN C. PETIT,
Deceased.
Cause No. 2374
Estate No. 539
NOTICE

Pursuant to an Order of said Court, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against the estate of JULIAN C. PETIT, deceased, to present the same, with vouchers, to the undersigned on or before July 18, 1924, and all persons owing debts to said deceased are hereby notified to make payment of the same in due course to the undersigned.

CORNELL S. FRANKLIN
Attorney for Executor,
518, Glen Line Building,
Peking Road,
Shanghai, China.
January 18, 1924.
64879

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A position is desired by an experienced and well educated man. Good knowledge of English, French and Italian. Please apply to Box 1263, THE CHINA PRESS.

64882 J 20

A fresh supply of Sporting ammunition has arrived. All sizes. Pasco Trading Co., Federal Inc. U. S. A. 26 Canton Road, Shanghai.

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NOTICE

Leonard W. Hartigan and Arthur S. Allan announce the discontinuance of the association of Allan and Hartigan.

LEONARD W. HARTIGAN
12 Jinkee Road,
Shanghai, Jan. 12, 1924.
64865 J 20

Saint Patrick's Society of Shanghai

The Annual General Meeting of Members will be held in the Palace Hotel at 5.30 p.m. on Tuesday, January 29, 1924. All Irishmen are cordially invited to be present.

T. P. GIVENS,
Hon. Secretary.
64821

Hankow and Ports

The Hoong On S. N. Co's Steamer Teh-hsing Captain T. S. Chia, will leave from the Ningshao Wharf, Chinese Bund, Nantao, on Friday the 18th, Jan. at about 12 o'clock (midnight) Passage Money, Shanghai to Hankow, \$40 single and \$60 return. For Freight or Passage apply to office of the Company, No. 2 Szechuen Road. Telephone 3283.

64844 J 18

NOTICE

This is to give notice that I am today removing my residence to 1369 Rue Lafayette (Tel. W. 4480), and may be consulted there every day (except Sundays) from 2-3 p.m.

Office hours at 11B Nanking Road remain the same—11-1 and 4-6 (except Sundays).

DR. MED. A. RENNER
Shanghai 1st January, 1924.
64821 J 4

Shanghai Paper Hunt Club

HUNT HANDICAP

The Hunt Handicap, open only to Members of the S. P. H. C. and ponies the bona fide property of Members, will be run (weather permitting) over a course selected by the Stewards on Saturday, January 26, 1924.

Ponies and riders to be qualified must have been through TWO Hunts during the present season to the satisfaction of the Stewards.

Entrance Fee \$2 each entry, together with the name of the pony and standing weight of the rider on entry form, which may be obtained at the Grand Stand, must be sent to the Secretary or placed in the Club Box at the Grand Stand not later than 7 p.m. on Saturday, January 19, 1924. Riders of placed ponies must weigh in after the event to the satisfaction of the Stewards.

In the event of any material change in weight taking place after the closing of the entries, information to that effect must be lodged with the Stewards not later than noon on the day preceding that on which the Handicap is to be run; the Stewards reserve the right to alter the handicapping on receipt of such information.

By Order of the Stewards,
A. W. OLSEN,
Secretary,
SHANGHAI PAPER HUNT CLUB,
64829 J 19

NOTICE

THE NANYANG BROTHERS
TOBACCO CO., LTD.

Consequent upon the death of the late Mr. Kan Chin Nam, President of this Company, who died on the 28th day of October, 1923, (being the 19th day of the 9th moon), any person holding contracts or other documents purporting to bear the signature of the deceased as President and on behalf of the Company, is requested to produce such contracts and other documents at the Head Office of the Company, 20 Seward Road, Shanghai, within three months from the date of this notice, for verification and countersignature by the Vice-President and NOTICE is also given that any such contracts and other documents which are not so produced, verified and countersigned are liable to repudiation by the Company in the event of any subsequent dispute.

By Order of the Board of Directors of the Nanyang Brothers Tobacco Company, Limited,
HSU CHIU YUEN,
KUM PEK SAN,
Secretaries.
Shanghai, 15th January, 1924.

S.S. "ROBERT DOLLAR" from New York

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES

Examination of ship's damaged cargo ex the s.s. "Robert Dollar," will be held at the Dollar Pal Lien Chien Wharf on Friday, January 18, 1924 at 2.00 p.m., when Messrs. Eisler, Reeves and Murphy, Marine and Cargo surveyors, will be in attendance.

THE ROBERT DOLLAR CO.
64849 J 18

NOTICE

IMPORTANT AUCTION SALE.
The Pootung Property of Reiss & Co. (Reiss Bros. Ltd. in Liquidation) comprising Six Brick built Godowns, Office etc. situated on the Pootung Side of the Whangpoo River opposite the Shanghai and Hongkong Wharf property (old Ningpo Wharf) and comprising in area about 42 mow with a river frontage of 325 feet will be sold by auction in the month of March. Further particulars will be advertised in due course.

11th January 1924.
E. M. ROSS, C. A.
Liquidator.
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Fast passenger Service to Genoa and North Continental Ports

S.S. "SAARBRUECKEN"

due to leave Shanghai abt. February 5th, 1924.

The former well known mail-steamer "DERFFLINGER" due to leave Shanghai abt. April 1st, 1924.

Comfortable accommodation for 120 cabin and 40 intermediate class passengers.

Fares to Genoa: Cabin class £78. Intermediate Class £48.

Fares to Northcontinental

Ports: Cabin class £85. Intermediate Class £50.

Special attention is called to the 1st and 2nd Class being almost equal to former 2nd class accommodation.

Through Tickets to London will be issued.

For particulars apply to

MELCHEERS & CO. General Agents

19/20 Kinkiang Road Telephone Nos. C. 7208/10

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Chinese Government Railways

KIAOCHOW-TSINAN LINE

TENDER FOR BOILER TUBES, ARCH TUBES AND BOILER FLUES

With the approval of the Ministry of Communications, the Kiaochow Tsinan Railway is hereby inviting tenders for materials mentioned above. All tenders should be marked with the words "TENDER FOR BOILER TUBES, ARCH TUBES AND BOILER FLUES" and should be sealed with sealing wax and addressed to the Managing Director, Kiaochow Tsinan Railway, Tsingtao. All tenders to be received by the Railway Administration not later than noon March 1st, 1924, and opened and publicly read at 3 p.m. of the same day in the Railway Administration Building in the presence of the delegate from the Ministry of Communications. Tenders will then be considered by the Railway and referred to the Ministry of Communications for final approval.

All tenders shall be accompanied by a deposit of NINE HUNDRED DOLLARS (\$900.00) in cash or certified check from a reputable bank acceptable to the Ministry of Communications. This deposit is to be refunded to the unsuccessful tenderers after tender or tenders have been selected.

The Railway Administration reserves full right to reject any or all tenders, and to award the contract as a whole or in parts. Further, the Railway Administration does not bind itself to accept the lowest tender.

For details, specification and other information apply to the Materials Department, Kiaochow Tsinan Railway, Tsingtao.

BY ORDER.
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Chinese Government Railway

KIAOCHOW TSINAN LINE

"TENDER FOR WOOD RAILWAY SLEEPERS"

The Public is hereby notified that with the approval of the Ministry of Communications, tenders are hereby invited for the supply of Wood Railway Sleepers as under:

A. Railway Sleepers	22,000 pieces
B. Crossing Timbers	2,320 "
C. Bridge Sleepers	1,500 "

Those wishing to submit tenders are required to make a deposit of Dollars Five Hundred (\$500.00) in Cash Tsingtao Currency or a Letter of Guarantee covering the required amount from any bank acceptable to the Ministry of Communications. This amount will be returned to the respective tenderers after the selection of the tender.

Tenders must be signed, sealed with sealing wax, marked on the outside of envelope "Tender for Wood Railway Sleepers," and addressed to the Materials Department, Kiaochow Tsinan Railway, Tsingtao, the same must reach the Railway before 12 o'clock noon on January 31st, 1924 and will be opened in public at 3.00 p.m. on the same day at the Railway Office in the presence of the Delegate sent by the Ministry of Communications, Peking.

Tender Forms attached with full particulars and Specifications may be obtained from the Materials Department, Kiaochow Tsinan Railway, Tsingtao.

No Tender will be entertained unless presented within the time stated and made on the Forms supplied by the Railway. The Railway does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender and reserves the right to divide the order into lots.

BY ORDER.
64820 F 3

Business and Official Notices

Early Spring American Hats

Your immediate inspection of our fresh stock of the latest style of American Spring Hats is hereby respectfully invited.

PALAIS DES MODES
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NOTICE

The annual meeting of the members of the Columbia Country Club will be held at the Clubhouse on Friday, January 18, 1924, at 6.00 p.m.

R. T. BRYAN, Jr.,
Honorary Secretary.
64868 J 18

Mme. Lohmann

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1st Performance Saturday, Jan. 26

2nd Performance Monday, Jan. 28

Booking at French Club for Members and Friends

3rd Performance Thurs. Jan. 31

Public Performance

Booking at Montreux

Tickets \$3.00 each

Booking now open

Curtain will rise at 8.15 promptly at all Performances.

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THE HUNG TSI PRIZE TICKET

Notice is hereby given that the tickets for the above lottery are now on sale by the authority of Defence-Commissioner of Woon-sung and Shanghai. There are in all 24000 tickets and the price of each is \$10.00. The drawing will take place on 24th January, 1924 in Shanghai. There will be one thousand prizes. The first prize will be to the value \$100,000 (Dollars one hundred thousand). The amount to be distributed in prizes will exceed \$200,000 (Dollars two hundred thousand). The prize consists of valuable articles, such as beautiful embroidery, pictures, books which are classics either to this or by-gone ages, old earthen-ware, carved articles, black-wood furniture of first quality, diamonds, pearls, etc. The prizes are now on view and can be inspected at No. Q.420, North Chongku Road, Shanghai. Admission is free.

Ladies and Gentlemen, lose no time, and buy one or more of the above-mentioned tickets; and may good luck attend you!

Tickets can be purchased at any lottery Ticket Shops in Shanghai.

Head Office: 43, Ming Koh Road, Nantao.

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(SHANGHAI TRAMWAYS—FOREIGN SETTLEMENT)

NOTICE REGARDING ALTERATION OF FARES

The depreciation of copper coins has greatly increased during the past two years, the circulating value having now fallen to 182 to the dollar. In effect, the additional depreciation amounts to a reduction of 25 percent in Tramway fares, which were very low before.

Notice is hereby given that, with the assent of the Council, the revisions explained in the Company's letter to the Acting Secretary of the Council of 30th August last (published in the Municipal Gazette of September 30) will be introduced on 24th January, 1924. Tables of the revised fares will be exhibited in the offices of the Company from this date, and in the cars from 24th inst.

The present maximum fares of 12 cents 1st Class and 9 cents 3rd Class, will be maintained. The section points will remain unchanged. The changes of fares will affect, mainly the shorter journeys.

The Concession authorises fares in Mexican cents, but no such coins exist. At present exchange, these concession fares work out in copper cents, as follows:—

1st Class, 5 Mex. cts. per 1.25 miles = 9 copper cents = 45% = 5 Mex. cts.

3rd Class, 2 Mex. cts. per 1.25 miles = 3.6 copper cents = 45% = 2 Mex. cts.

The following is a comparison of the average distances authorised at each fare (worked out as above), with the present and proposed average distance at each fare. The aggregate figures for all fares are also given:—

1ST CLASS	AS PROVIDED BY CONCESSION	AS AT PRESENT	AS FROM 24TH JANUARY, 1924
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3 Copper cents	0.417	0.904	0.636*
4 "	0.556	1.703	0.787
6 "	0.833	1.801	1.509
9 "	1.250	2.646	2.406
12 "	1.667	4.499	4.089

Average charge per mile (copper cents). 7.20 2.94 Increase over present 23%

3RD CLASS	AS PROVIDED BY CONCESSION	AS AT PRESENT	AS FROM 24TH JANUARY, 1924
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2 Copper cents	0.694	1.049	0.769
3 "	1.042	1.673	1.150
4 "	1.389	2.134	1.597
5 "	1.735	2.594	2.195
6 "	2.083	3.050	2.487
7 "	2.431	3.509	2.971
8 "	2.778	4.176	3.459

Average charge per mile (copper cents). 2.88 1.86 Increase over present 16%

*Applies only to Routes Nos. 14 and 16 (Railless).

As shown in the above table, the Concession authorises the equivalent of an average charge for 1st Class of about 7 1/4 copper cents per mile; the present charge is slightly under 3 copper cents per mile; and the revised charge will be about 3-2/3 copper cents per mile. For 3rd Class, the comparison is: Concession scale about 2-9/10 copper cents per mile; present 1-9/10 copper cents per mile; and revised charge slightly under 2 1/4 copper cents per mile. In all cases, the revised average distance to be given at each fare is greater than is prescribed in the Concession scale.

The revised fares will only partly offset the additional depreciation of copper coins. (To offset the reduction of 25% in fares since 1915-1919 by reason of the increase of coinage depreciation, an increase in fares of 33-1/3% would be required).

CHANGE

Practically all fares are paid in copper coins, only a small amount of silver being tendered in the cars. If change were given for silver at the approximate rate of exchange prevailing, the cars would virtually become exchange shops, and the Conductors would be unable to perform their ordinary duties. For any silver tendered in payment of fares change will continue, therefore, to be given at the rate of 100 cents to the dollar.

SEASON TICKETS

Season Ticket rates will remain unchanged, but the Limited Season (of which few are in use) will not be issued after this date.

DONALD MCCOLL,

General Manager.

"TRACTION HOUSE"

7, Soochow Road,

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Financial And Commercial News

BENJAMIN AND POTTS
SHARE LIST
Yesterday's Closed

Banks	Closing Quotations
Stock	H.\$1,060 B.
Chartered	H.\$194
Russo-Asiatic	Nom
Marine Insurance	
Canton	H.\$725 B.
North China	Ts. 135
Union of Canton	H.\$233 B.
Yangtze	H.\$26 1/2 B.
Far Eastern Ins.	Ts. 21
Fire Insurance	
China Fire	H.\$140 B.
Hongkong Fire	H.\$550
Shipping	
Indo-China Del.	H.\$133 1/2
Indo-China Pref.	H.\$38 1/2 B.
"Shell"	82 1/2
S'hai Tug ord.	Ts. 71 1/2 B.
S'hai Tug Pref.	Ts. 53
Mining	
Kaiping	Ts. 21 B.
Oriental Cone.	13 1/2
Raub	\$5.20
Docks	
Hongkong Dock	H.\$171 B.
Shanghai Dock	Ts. 95 S.
New, Eng. Works	Ts. 6.40 B.
Pref.	Ts. 5.20
Wharves	
Shanghai Wharf	Ts. 175 B.
Hongkong Wharf	H.\$182 B.
Lands and Hotels	
S'hai Hotel, Ltd.	\$45 B.
S'hai Realty ord.	Ts. 50
China Realty Pref.	Ts. 50
A-French Land.	Ts. 120 B.
Shanghai Land.	Ts. 118 S.
Carlton Ltd.	Ts. 53
Cotton Mills	
E-wo (ord.)	Ts. 12 1/2 B.
E-wo (pref.)	Ts. 113 1/2 B.
Laou-kung-mow	Ts. 10
Oriental	Ts. 4 1/2 B.
Shanghai Cotton.	Old 63 B. New 40
Industrials	
Butler Tiles	Ts. 35
China Sugar	Ts. 255 B.
Green Island	Ts. 37 1/2 B.
Langkats	Ts. 34 B.
Major Bros.	Ts. 5
S'hai Sumatra	Ts. 90
Stores	
Hall and Holts	Ts. 6.90 B.
Llewellyn	Ts. 35 B.
Lane Crawford	Ts. 103 1/2 B.
Moutrie	\$70
Watson	H.\$22 1/2 B.
Weeks	Ts. 11 S.
Rubbers (local)	
Alma	Ts. 6 1/2
Amherst	Ts. 0.50
Anglo-Java	Ts. 6 1/2
Anglo-Dutch	Ts. 2.90
Ayer Tawah	Ts. 24 B.
Batu Anam 1918	Ts. 1
Bute	Ts. 0.82 1/2 B.
Bukit Toh Alang	Ts. 1.07 1/2 B.
Chemor United	Ts. 1.05 B.
Chempedak	Ts. 6
Cheng	Ts. 1.40
Consolidated	Ts. 2 1/2
Dominion	Ts. 2
Gula Kalumpung	Ts. 9 1/2
Java Consolidated	Ts. 14
Kapayang	Ts. 12 1/2 B.
Karan	Ts. 6
Kedah	Ts. 1.05 B.
Kota Bahroe	Ts. 1.05
Kroewok Java	Ts. 14 B.
Padang	Ts. 6 1/2
Pengkalan Durian	Ts. 1.10
Permata	Ts. 2.90 B.
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Mr. A. Foa, violinist, will be the soloist at the concert to be given by the Municipal Orchestra at the Town Hall Sunday afternoon at 5 o'clock. The program will be as follows:

1.—Ballet-Muscle to "Rosamunde" Schubert

(a) Allegro moderato, Andante un poco assai

(b) Andantino

2.—Concerto in E minor, for Violin and Orchestra Mendelssohn

(a) Allegro molto appassionato

(b) Andante

(c) Allegro ma non troppo—Allegro molto vivace

Soloist: A. Foa

INTERVAL

3.—Symphony No. 7 in A major Beethoven

(a) Un poco sostenuto—Vivace

(b) Allegretto

(c) Scherzo (Presto—Assai meno presto)

(d) Finale: Allegro con brio

Conductor: Maestro Mario Paci

The fourth subscription symphony concert will take place on Thursday, January 24, at 9.15 p.m.

"French Composers" Program.

Soloist: Mrs. H. v. Heidenstam (Mezzo-Sopr.)

The Sixth Chamber Music and Soloist Concert will be given on Thursday, January 31, at 9.15 p.m.

Dr. J. L. Stuart

Is Expected In

Peking In April

Peking, Jan. 14.—Dr. John Leighton Stuart, President of Yenching University is expected to return to Peking in April. He has written from New York of a meeting held there from which it is hoped that a Yenching Alumni Society in America will be formed.

It is also expected that the School of Theology will next year be augmented by the return of Mr. H. K. Evans and of a year's visit from Professor Frank C. Porter of the Yale School of Religion. The latter is an uncle of Mr. Lucius Porter. The arrival of the head of the new Department of Political Science, Mr. Shu Hsi-hsu, will be delayed until the opening of next term due to the loss of a shipment of Chinese documents in the Japanese earthquake.

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U.S. TRADE WITH CHINA DURING NOVEMBER GOOD

America Bought Goods Worth G\$21,280,000. Sold G. \$9,310,000 Here

(Exclusive China Press)

Washington, Jan. 17.—The total imports into the United States from China during November amounted to G\$21,280,000 and consisted principally of goat and kid skins (\$9,000 pounds), Chinese nut oil (\$17,355 gallons), tea (\$5,888,335 pounds), carpet wool (\$1,080,626 pounds), and raw silk (\$1,822,411 pounds).

The total exports from the United States to China during November amounted to G\$9,310,000, consisting principally of 275,000 barrels of wheat flour, 1,172,637 pounds of leaf tobacco, 624,775,000 cigarettes, 5,536,000 feet of Douglas fir, 7,066,639 gallons of illuminating oil, 13 motor trucks and 99 passenger automobiles.

Business conditions in the United States at the present time are very promising, although there is a general slackening of trade and production with conservative buying. Mild weather is generally tending to curtail the sale of winter goods.

Business in the Southern states continues good. The wholesale price of cotton buying in November averaged 35 cents a pound compared with 30 cents in October. Iron and steel production declined during November and unfilled orders held by the United States Steel Corporation at the end of the month totaled 4,369,000 tons compared to 4,672,000 at the end of the previous month.

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WEATHER

Overcast weather, with threats of rain or snow in the Yangtze Valley. Nth to N-W winds on the Yellow Sea. Strong monsoon in the South. Rough weather between the Loochoo and Japan.

The Rise Of Labor.

(Specially contributed by Mr. E. P. Graham-Barrow.)

ALL eyes, especially British eyes, are now on Parliamentary events in England. Those in the know at Westminster—The Lobbyites—predict Baldwin's overthrow and the accession to power, for the first time in England's history, of the Labor Party. What will the Labor Man do? Some are frankly scared of him. Some think it a good thing to give him his chance at a moment when things are all against him—the hope of this "Some" is that he will fail so badly that his menace will be dissolved for ever. But some also see in the advent of Labor the reward of work—Happiness! We must wait and see.

Let me trace, as I see it, the rise of the Labor Party during the last two decades. True, the working man had been heard of before then, we can call up events in which a Wat Tyler stood against a king. We can call to mind the rhyme-centuries old—in which the worker tried to express himself: When Adam delved and Eve span, Where was then the Gentleman?

It is hard to disentangle the affairs of a time so near to us as the years which intervened between the fall of the Balfour ministry in 1905 and the outbreak of the war in 1914. It was a busy rather than an eventful period. No very great issues seemed at stake, yet England somehow was restless and ill at ease. The old complacent days of the Victorian era were gone; the great dominating figures—Gladstone in politics, Browning and Tennyson in letters, Ruskin in art—had vanished from the stage; and, as the problems of our civilisation became more huge and overwhelming, individualities appeared to shrink. We were living, perhaps, in an age of little men. Our papers were accusing us of decadence, and declared that our ideals had been lost. There was no clear vision.

Nevertheless one fact seems pretty certain. The real outstanding feature of this decade was the emergence of the Laboring Man as a new political force.

Hitherto, though normally dissatisfied and frequently rebellious, he had been for the most part inarticulate, or at any rate incapable of making his voice heard in the councils of the nation.

Today that voice has swelled in magnitude and violence, till it almost seems at times to drown all others.

The rise of Labor has been swift indeed. For it was only in the years immediately before the war that the working man of England began at last to realise his strength. In those years, whatever else may have been happening to obscure it, we seem to hear the first rumblings of a giant awakened out of sleep.

When the General Election of 1906 took place it was abundantly seen that the working man at last realised the value of his vote; and if votes alone were an index of success, the electioneering of the Socialist party was undoubtedly a triumph.

Hitherto the true representative of Labor had been somewhat of a rarity in Parliament. Mr. Keir Hardie's uncompromising nature was regarded with amusement; and nobody had a thought of taking such "wild men" seriously.

But in the election of 1906 many a seat was contested by official Labor candidates, and in the sweeping victory which the Liberal party won these Labor candidates enjoyed a generous share. Over 50 were returned to Parliament, one section known as the Independent Labor party, being more or less definitely pledged to a policy of "Socialist" reform.

Their number was, of course, comparatively small in a house of 670 strong. They were without experience in Parliamentary tactics; and their leader—Ramsay Macdonald, lacked a statesman's force.

Nevertheless, from the start the Labor Party's influence was felt, and the Liberal legislation passed in the ensuing years covered a wide field; but in essence nearly all of it was of a "Socialist" type. Note in this connection the supplying of midday meals to poor children attending schools; the free medical inspection of children; the system of Exchange Bureaux; the Old Age Pension Bill; the Insurance Act; the bitterly opposed Land Act and the fierce attack upon the House of Lords.

I doubt if an out-and-out Labor Government would have accomplished more in those years from 1906—1914.

Now it looks as if the long dreaded Labor Man will hold the reins, and curiously enough as we get nearer to him, and his coming work, our fears are somewhat allayed. Added responsibility gives to him a more generous and tolerant outlook upon the world's problems, and his fiery denunciations are toned down; his mind becomes more orderly and reflective; his utterances take on the dignity of a statesman's.

Ramsay Macdonald tells us that his party has built its dwelling place upon the horizon, and that there is no need to jump these at once. Step by step in the right direction is to be his policy. That sounds hopeful.

For a hundred years and more we have been feeling our way forward along the path of Liberty; and our reward has been that when our people fought they did so wholeheartedly and convinced of the righteousness of a great cause. Blunders must come, but qualities and ideals, which have been a thousand years in the making cannot be destroyed in a generation.

Does the rise of the Labor Party then carry a Message of Hope?

The Brothel Question

IT was about time someone else besides the local newspapers laid emphasis upon the utter utility of the scheme of gradual retirement of the brothel licenses as a means of abolishing prostitution in our midst. And for that purpose we welcome the representations on the subject made to the Municipal Council by the Shanghai Medical Society. If anybody should know what they are talking about it is surely that body of men whose daily work it is to deal with the results of this social evil about which so many other people theorise. Their recommendations, published in full in these columns yesterday, start with the assertion that there is nothing to be gained by the suppression of brothels, that licensing is undesirable, and that well conducted houses should be tolerated so long as they do not contribute to the increase of disease. They further emphasise the fact that nothing has transpired yet to make for a reduction in prostitution and that the scattering of our unfortunates from the localities in which they were formerly to be found has by no means removed them from our midst.

It may be the argument of the Moral Welfare League that they are not concerned so much with the aspect of the question which involves pain and suffering as a punishment for these practices, but with the eradication of a highly immoral practice. And if, indeed, this be the case, they have had four years in which to put their theories into practice, four years in which we fail to see any improvement in the conditions which they set themselves out to cure. For the purpose of dealing with the evil, brothels were licensed; then by periodical drawings certain proportion of these licenses have been retired yearly, until some-

where about one-fifth are now left. The result is not that four-fifths of the prostitution existing four years ago has been wiped out, but that that proportion is no longer licensed, though carrying on clandestinely which condition heretofore did not exist.

Those who know their Shanghai well, and probably doctors know it even better than most other people, will hesitate to believe for one moment that the Moral Welfare League has succeeded in doing anything save spread into other districts practices which four years ago were more or less localised and if not under the control, at least under the watchful eyes of the authorities. And in any event, if the Moral Welfare League succeeded in cutting off the head of this dragon of evil, when they were able to get their program passed by the ratepayers, they have left a putrescent carcass to pollute the air of the whole of Shanghai.

The reference to our open spaces and the solicitation which goes on in them nightly, is enough to show what we mean. There was a time when most of our streets and the public parks were free from such evil. Can the same be said today? We know it cannot, and in one public park in Shanghai, we know of special police officers being detailed to keep the practice as much within limits as possible. That state of affairs did not exist three years ago. It does now. The reason is not far to seek. These women turned out of regular brothels have still to live, and are living despite the Moral Welfare League.

We should not like the Moral Welfare League, or its supporters to believe that we are in any way antagonistic to the high ideals that are the driving power of their activities. We agree that prostitution is an evil the heinousness of which cannot for one moment be discounted, but because it is a practical question, because in necessities economic as well as moral treatment, educational as well as denunciatory, we are of opinion that prohibitory treatment cannot stand much chance of success. Legislation throughout the world has not stopped it. Punish the prostitute for solicitation, and directly she comes out of prison, or pays her fine she reverts to her old practice for the purpose of obtaining a livelihood. And though the League has succeeded in driving these people underground, it is impossible to regard it as a success in the warfare against their immoral practices. Those who do are intellectually no better than the ostrich who hides his head in the sand and believes he is hidden.

We venture to believe that the time has come when, at the next ratepayers' meeting an opportunity should be given for a reconsideration of the whole situation. Certainly we ought not to continue in our present paths when the very men who cure the evil results of prostitution take it upon themselves to warn us that there is no improvement in our condition, but rather that things are worse than they were. And with due deference to the Moral Welfare League we are of the opinion that more weight should be given to the considered opinion of our medicals—practical men dealing with a practical issue—than to those who seem to have approached the matter from a purely idealistic standpoint. We should be the last to suggest that we should again revert to a system of licensing, and to that extent we agree with the Medical Society. But on the other hand we are anxious that the municipal authorities should evolve some plan whereby the closest possible supervision should be maintained over the people plying their unfortunate profession. For that purpose we are strongly of the opinion that the whole subject should be considered with a view to giving the Municipal Council the widest possible latitude in handling the matter.

Ministerial Algebras

THE British Chamber of Commerce *Journal* for January in the course of a discussion of "Shanghai and Peking" refers to the problem of China as one of "ministerial algebras," and in this connection points with very good and timely effect to the "unity" which exists in Shanghai among the foreign commercial interests and to the "disunity" which exists in Peking among the foreign interests as represented by the Diplomatic Body. "In Shanghai on most of the questions classifiable as foreign interests Chambers of Commerce and other public bodies think very much alike," says the editorial, but in Peking, "the Legations which have to handle such questions differ considerably."

This difference between the attitude of Shanghai and Peking to the problem of China which the official organ of the British Chamber of Commerce very kindly refers to as "psychological" is further discussed in these words, "During the war and before it China was undoubtedly a diplomatic field. There were diplomatic points to be won or lost and their winning or losing made a difference in the Chancelleries of Europe (and America—Ed.). That is no longer the position. One can think of no international issue on which the Chancelleries of Europe are engaged that can be affected in the smallest degree by the attitude of China. Yet the impression brought to Shanghai both by visitors and reports is that the Legations are diplomatically busier than ever." And then referring to the "striking contrast afforded by Shanghai," the same discussion continues, "The British, the Americans, the French, the Japanese, the Italians and the Norwegians all have chambers of commerce, chambers brought into existence during the war and actuated by a very healthy rivalry born of the war. Thus it might have been feared, and at one time was feared, that their creation would mean the promotion of sectional, in disregard of common interests, namely the promotion of China's capacity to buy and sell and the utilisation of that capacity in accordance with, and under the protection of the treaties. . . . but, the solidarity of business interests in Shanghai has increased considerably and today the various chambers are thoroughly alive to the necessity of preserving a united front. . . ."

And another point which the editor of the British Chamber of Commerce *Journal* might have emphasised is that the unity which exists on most points in respect to the foreign chambers of commerce, also exists to a considerable extent between the foreign chambers and the Chinese chambers and other organisations representing Chinese financial, commercial and industrial interests. We dare say that these bodies, if they had the opportunity, might settle most of the outstanding problems in a way that would be satisfactory to both sides, and in short order, but it is only when the problems are forwarded to Peking that difficulties arise and complications ensue which require months and even years of note writing.

The principal reason for all this is that Peking is still living in an atmosphere of ancient practices in diplomacy which have been repudiated everywhere except in the minds of the diplomats, and as long as the Diplomatic Body at Peking continues the old system, the Chinese Government will maintain its ancient machinery for receiving and answering the notes. Dr. Paul S. Reinsch who served as American Minister in Peking all through the European War period and who upon retirement wrote a most interesting book "Secret Diplomacy" must have had Peking in mind when he made the statement in the book that, "There still persists, in modern diplomacy, the image of the chess players intent on their complicated game, planning each move with long foresight of all the combinations that could possibly be organised by the opponent. . . . spinning a complicated web of actions and relationships in which every detail is subordinate and subservient to a general dominant purpose."

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"Deep Solicitude" For Safety Of Foreigners

WHEN the Diplomatic Body at Peking on August 10, 1923 presented a joint note signed by the representatives of sixteen nations to the Chinese Government demanding that proper means be taken at once by the Chinese Government for the protection of travelers and the transportation of merchandise on the government railways, Dr. Wellington Koo, Minister of Foreign Affairs replied substantially as follows:

"The safety of foreigners has always been the subject of very deep solicitude on the part of the Chinese Government," and said further that "through the series of measures recently adopted the lives, property and interests of foreigners in China will enjoy added security."

This official statement of the Chinese Foreign Office makes interesting reading now in view of the list of killings, kidnappings and outrages published in *The China Press* on Tuesday of this week. According to this list, which probably does not include all of the atrocities, the number of foreigners killed since the Lincheng outrage, are eight, including 1 Italian priest, 1 Belgian priest, 1 American missionary, 2 British missionaries, 1 British ship captain and 2 Japanese ship officers. The list of foreigners involved in kidnappings and atrocities, according to the list published in *The China Press* numbered about 35, but no claim is made for its accuracy since there is another report in circulation emanating from Japanese sources stating that there have been 70 outrages against foreigners since Lincheng on May 5. Those involved in the Lincheng affair included 1 killed and about 30 captured.

And if this list of outrages makes interesting reading when compared with the statement of the Chinese Foreign Office that protective measures are being taken to prevent this sort of thing, it makes much more interesting reading when compared with the activities of the foreign Powers themselves in trying to bring China's military leaders to a sense of their responsibilities.

Our Literary Column

EXCERPTS FROM GREAT WRITERS
By Mally

THE READER'S SECRET

One of the secrets of the artist is the facility and completeness with which he turns his conscious processes of mind into unconscious ones, and so does without effort that which costs a man less thoroughly trained no little toil. To do with ease what one began to do with effort is to have passed from the state of the artisan to that of the artist. Art involves the hardest kind of work, but in its essence it is play; for it is always an overflow of the creative forces of a rich nature, and never power strained to the last point of endurance. A great picture, poem, or symphony always leaves the impression of something behind richer and profounder than that which it conveys; it makes one conscious, as Ruskin has said, of a great power rather than of great effort.

A man is never master of his material and his art until they have become so much a part of him that he can hardly separate himself from them. The material has been absorbed by his imagination and brooded over so long that it becomes his own by the only absolute right or possession known among men. So Shakespeare took the story of the "Tempest" as he found it in some Italian or Spanish tale, and meditated upon it until the whole wealth of his nature passed into it and the bare framework became incrustated with such pearls as lie only in the great depths of such a heart as his. The art has been so lovingly studied and so loyally practised that it becomes a skill of the soul rather than a dexterity of the hand, and what was at first calculated with nicest sense of proportion and adjustment becomes at last natural and almost effortless putting forth of strength.

Now, the trained reader who has mastered his art passes through a kindred progress from the conscious to the unconscious. He begins with rules, times, and habits; these are the mechanical side of his training; but when he has learned his craft he has long ago forgotten them. The artist's education is of supreme importance to him; but when he comes at last to handle his brush with creative freedom and force, the processes of his training are as far behind him and out of his thought as is the hard discipline of learning one's letters out of mind when one is deep in "Henry Esmond" or "The Tale of Two Cities."

The conscious process has become unconscious; that which one began to do a work he now does as play. The attitude of the reader toward his book is at last one of unconscious receptivity: his intelligence is keenly awake and active, but it has ceased to be conscious of itself; the whole nature is absorbed in the book. This means true reading, reading, not for entertainment, but for personal enrichment and enlargement. One may skim a book as a swallow skims through the air and leaves no trace of its flight, or one may build a nest in a book and make it one of the homes of the spirit in the brief summer of life. The great works of the imagination ought to be part of our lives as they were once of the very substance of the men who made them.

To see only the splendid pageantry of the Shakespearean drama is to suffer the eye to cheat the imagination. Shakespeare speaks to that which is deepest and most individual in us; his word is for the soul, not for the ear only. To catch the matchless music of his verse is, indeed, one of the joys of life; but that faultless melody, which drains into its harmonious flow all the rills of music hidden in spoken words, is but the sign and symbol of the life which it contains and reveals. When the young Goethe said, after reading Shakespeare for the first time, that he felt as if he had been reading the book of fate with the hurricane of life sweeping through it and tossing its leaves to and fro, he made it clear that he had read Shakespeare with his heart; he had touched the vital power in the great dramatist, and he had been enriched for all time.

Every great book is charged with life; the measure of its greatness is the degree in which it has been vitalised by the great nature out of which it issued. This vital power is the heart and soul of the book, and to get at it and possess it is the highest task and the supreme reward of the reader of the book. When he has reached a point where, his intelligence alert and eager, he unconsciously absorbs the book, he has become co-operative with the writer, and, in a sense, on level with him. It is to such readers that the great minds speak, and from such readers they hold back nothing they have learned of the mystery of life and art.

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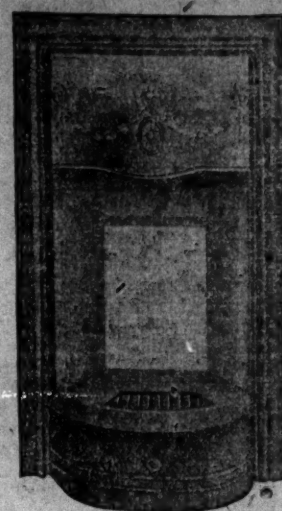
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high standard that are rapidly making the journal deservedly popular among all classes of readers. In addition to some original etchings and photographs of the famous George Crofts collection of Chinese porcelains there are a number of exceptionally interesting articles. "Meet Gullie With Gullie" is an episode from the novel *Ping Shan Leng Yen*, translated by Elfrida Hudson. Mr. Kiang-ho, formerly professor in Peking University, continues his "Analysis of The Four Books" with an article on the *Lao Tse* of Confucian Analects, and the Book of Mencius. Mr. Shih-huan writes of Yang Kuei Fei, one of the most famous historical beauties of China.

In the Travel section Prof. Henry Fairfield Osborn writes on "The Significance of Recent Discoveries in Mongolia," illustrating it with a number of excellent photographs, and an editorial resume is given of recent explorations in China.

Other interesting articles in the current issue are "The Mechanical Theory of Earthquakes" by Dr. Herbert Chatley, "The White Ants of China" by S. F. Light of the University of Amoy, "What To Eat In 1924" by Prof. William H. Adolph of Shantung Christian University, and numerous routine articles on shooting, biological subjects, etc.

Chempedak Rubber & Gambier Estate

The annual general meeting of the Chempedak Rubber and Gambier Estate, Ltd. was held yesterday in the offices of the Secretaries. The Chairman's speech was as follows:

Gentlemen—The Report and Accounts having been in your hands for the prescribed period, I will, with your permission, follow the usual practice and take them as read.

The year's working has resulted in the very satisfactory profit of Tels 21,317.31 which

reduces the amount standing to the debit of Profit & Loss Account to Tels 13,434.94, and if Rubber only remains at its present price for another 4 or 5 months, this adverse balance will be completely wiped off.

The cost of production, including Duty, which is a new charge, shows a reduction under every heading and at 9.16 pence is practically one penny per pound cheaper than it was last year. This result reflects great credit on the management and shows

conclusively, I think, that every effort is being made to economise wherever possible.

Sales during the year averaged 1-2.09 per pound or exactly 7 pence per pound higher than was realised the previous year.

There was no Capital Expenditure during the period under review, the whole cost of Upkeeping the planted area, both mature and immature, having been charged to Working Account.

The Issued Capital has been increased by £2,305 representing the proceeds of 2,305 shares that were taken up by Shareholders in response to the Circular issued to them last January. There still remain 7,695 shares unissued, but your Directors do not propose to issue all or any of them until the Company has reached the stage where dividends are once more possible, it will then probably be considered desirable to have a reserve of liquid cash with which to meet any emergency that may arise, since the times of stress that we have been through so recently have proved to every one how essential it is for all Rubber Companies to acquire substantial Reserves as early as possible.

The financial position of the Company, at the end of the year, showed an excess of Liquid Liabilities over the Cash Assets of Tels 15,014.67 as compared with an adverse balance of Tels 51,314.48 at the end of last year. The reduction of Tels 36,299.81 in the deficit is accounted for by the issue of new shares which produced practically Tels 15,000 and by the profit earned on the year's working. The position has improved still further since the close of the year and I hope that before long we shall be clear of all our debts.

Turning now to planting matters, the Visiting Agent, in his last report, states that the Estate has been improved by the cultivation work done, by which he means the digging of Silt Pits in the older areas, and by the conservative tapping system and resting of the trees which allows of much improved Bark conditions.

Silt pitting is being proceeded with gradually as funds permit, a definite allocation of 1 cent per pound on the monthly output being set aside for this purpose.

The output has now reached a point where it is in excess of the quantity allowed under restriction and as the purchase of export rights from other estates is prohibited, it will gradually be found possible to rest any further areas which will benefit from such treatment.

I was on the Estate myself last July and saw the benefits that had already been derived from the work that had been done. The young areas, by which I mean the last 500 odd acres that were planted up gradually after the incorporation of the Company, are as fine a stand of Rubber as I saw anywhere in the Straits.

At the close of the year 583 acres were in the tapping round,

but should the time come when a larger output is called for, practically the whole planted area, except the 15 acres replanted in 1920, can be brought into tapping.

Pests and Diseases gave very little trouble during the year, and the Estate is very fortunate in having a healthy and contented labor force that is adequate for all its requirements.

Mr. Robertson has again managed the Estate single handed throughout the year and our best thanks are due to him and to Messrs. Sime Darby & Co., Ltd., the Malacca Agents, for the very able manner in which they have conducted the affairs of the Estate.

Whilst on this subject, I may tell you that for some considerable time past your Directors have had in mind the desirability of having as our Straits Agents some firm or individual who is more intimately connected with Shanghai in general and our interests in particular than our present Agents are. An opportunity to achieve this end occurred during the year and arrangements were accordingly made to transfer the Straits Agency to Messrs. Kennedy, Burkill & Co. Ltd., on the 1st December 1923.

I would like here to record the Board's warm appreciation of the services rendered to the Company by Messrs. Sime Darby & Co., Ltd., who have acted as the Company's Agents for many years and to emphasize the fact that your Directors were in no wise dissatisfied with the manner in which they conducted the affairs of the Estate. The Board felt, however, that as Messrs. Kennedy Burkill & Co., Ltd., now represent practically all of the Shanghai Rubber Companies and moreover have, in a senior position on their Staff, a gentleman who has lived in Shanghai for many years and who is very intimately acquainted with the affairs of the various companies, they will now receive that personal interest and attention, which is so essential to the satisfactory conduct of business matters and which is unobtainable from mere correspondence.

In conclusion, Gentlemen, I must tell you as briefly as

possible what has been done in connection with the question of a possible amalgamation with some contiguous Estate that I mentioned in my Speech last year.

To begin with I must explain that Chempedak Estate is situated right in the North East corner of Malacca Territory with two Straits Companies one on either side of it.

The nearest Shanghai Estate to it is Cheng, some 12 miles away as the crow flies, but very considerably further by road. Both these Estates are run by their Managers, single handed, so that an amalgamation would not mean any economy as far as Staff is concerned.

There are other Shanghai Estates in Malacca or the vicinity but all too far off to tack Chempedak onto as a division.

In order to examine the question thoroughly, with the least possible expense to the Company, in April the Secretaries, at their own cost, asked their Java Visiting Agent to visit Malacca and to report on all the Shanghai Estates in the neighborhood with a view to a possible amalgamation. His Reports were not received here until after I had left Shanghai last May, but I obtained copies in Java and also looked into the matter myself whilst on the spot, the result of these investigations brought out very clearly that the present position of this Company bears no proper relation to its potentialities and, as any amalgamation would naturally have to be based very largely on the present value, it is extremely difficult, if not impossible, to evolve any scheme that would be likely to be agreed to by the shareholders of another Company and which at the same time would be acceptable to and not penalise you.

As far as this Company is concerned this disability will remain as long as Restriction lasts since the output per acre is steadily improving and we are already producing by most con-

servative tapping methods more than our restricted allowance from barely 70 percent of our planted area.

The distances separating all these properties preclude any saving being made on the Estate Staffs and thus the only benefit to be derived from any amalgamation would be a small saving in the Head Office expenses, which saving would probably be lost to you by the comparatively poor price at which the Company would be taken over. To illustrate my meaning, I need only point out to you that Chempedak 21 Shares now stand at Tels 6.00 each which makes the market capitalisation Tels 126,630, equal to Tels 193 per planted acre, or barely 233 at the present high rate of Exchange. On this Capital the profits for the year just behind us amount to a trifle over 13 percent.

Such being the case, Gentlemen, I feel that you would be well advised to stand on your own feet, working out your own salvation until such time as we are clear of debt and have wiped out the debit in Profit & Loss Account. We can then issue some of the unissued Shares, I hope at a premium, so as to have some Working Capital in hand and the profits as they accrue will then become available for dividends.

That is all I have to say, Gentlemen, but before formally putting the resolution to the Meeting, I shall be pleased to answer, to the best of my ability, any questions you may wish to ask.



China Journal Of Science And Arts

In the January issue of "The China Journal of Science and Arts" Mr. A. C. de Sowerby has gathered together more articles of 'things Chinese' of the same shooting, biological subjects, etc.

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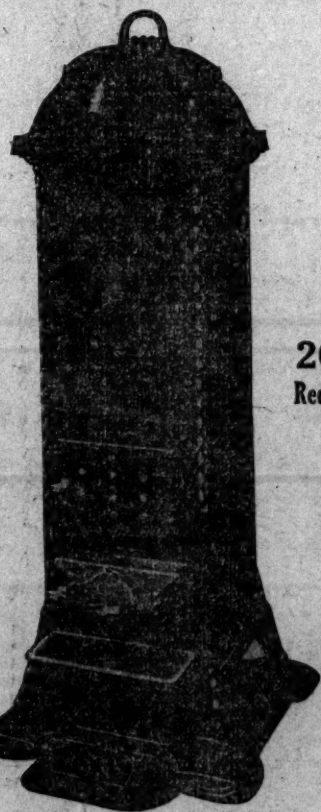
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Shipping Items

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The C.M. s.s. Kiangyung left Hankow on Tuesday and is due in Shanghai today.

The C.N. s.s. Woosung left Hankow on Tuesday and is due in Shanghai today.

The C.M. s.s. Kianghsin left Hankow on Wednesday and is due in Shanghai tomorrow.

The I.C. s.s. Kutwo left Hankow on Wednesday and is due in Shanghai tomorrow.

The C.N. s.s. Tatung left Hankow on Wednesday and is due in Shanghai tomorrow.

The C.M. s.s. Kianghsin left Hankow yesterday and is due in Shanghai on Sunday.

The I.C. s.s. Loongwo left Hankow yesterday and is due in Shanghai on Sunday.

The C.N. s.s. Ngankin left Hankow yesterday and is due in Shanghai on Sunday.

The C.M. s.s. Kianghsin will leave Hankow today and is due in Shanghai on Monday.

The I.C. s.s. Pingwo will leave Hankow today and is due in Shanghai on Monday.

The C.N. s.s. Kiangshun will leave Hankow today and is due in Shanghai on Monday.

The C.M. s.s. Kiangshun will leave Hankow tomorrow and is due in Shanghai on Tuesday.

SOUTHERN PORTS

The I.C. s.s. Kwongsang left Hongkong on Sunday and is due in Shanghai via Swatow today.

The C.N. s.s. Pakhoi left Hongkong on Tuesday and is due in Shanghai tomorrow.

The C.N. s.s. Soochow left Hongkong yesterday and is due in Shanghai on Monday.

The C.M. s.s. Haeen was expected to leave Foochow yesterday and is due in Shanghai tomorrow.

The C.N. s.s. Suliyang will leave Hongkong tomorrow and is due in Shanghai on Wednesday.

The I.C. s.s. Loksang is due in Shanghai from Canton, Hongkong and Swatow next Monday.

The I.C. s.s. Kutsang will leave Hongkong for Shanghai next Sunday.

The I.C. s.s. Esang will leave Swatow for Ningpo and Shanghai on Sunday.

The I.C. s.s. Tingsang will leave Hongkong on Sunday and is due in Shanghai via Swatow on January 25.

NORTHERN PORTS

The C.N. s.s. Liangchow was to leave Tsingtao on Wednesday and is due in Shanghai today.

The C.N. s.s. Chungking left Tientsin yesterday and is due in Shanghai via Chefoo and Weihaiwei on Sunday.

The D.K.K. s.s. Sakaki Maru arrived in Shanghai from Dairen and Tsingtao yesterday morning, and docks at the Whangpoo Wharf. The steamer will sail for Tsingtao and Dairen at 9 o'clock this morning.

The I.C. s.s. Yusang is due in Shanghai from Tientsin, Chefoo and Weihaiwei on Sunday afternoon.

The I.C. s.s. Yatshing is due in Shanghai from Tsingtao on Monday morning.

The K.M.A. s.s. Shinon (chartered) left Chinwangtao on Tuesday and is due in Shanghai today.

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The N.Y.K. s.s. Kumano Maru is due in Shanghai from Osaka, Kobe and Moji next Sunday, and docks at the N. Y. K. Mail Wharf.

The N.Y.K. s.s. Taikuba Maru will arrive in Shanghai from Yokohama and Yokosuka next Sunday, and docks at the Wayside Wharf.

The N.Y.K. s.s. Shanghai Maru is due in Shanghai from Nagasaki on Monday morning, and docks at the Wayside Wharf. The liner

will sail for the same port at daybreak Tuesday.

INDIAN LINES

The P. and O. s.s. Soudan was to leave Bombay for Shanghai via ports at 5 o'clock Tuesday evening.

EUROPEAN LINES

The P. and O. s.s. Neidera was due to leave London on Friday, and is expected to arrive in Shanghai about February 12.

The M.M. s.s. Chili was due to leave Marseilles for Shanghai via ports on January 10.

The Blue Funnel s.s. Ixion left Singapore on January 7, and is due in Shanghai via Hongkong today.

The P. and O. s.s. Porim is expected to leave Penang for Shanghai via ports on January 24.

The P. and O. s.s. Padua left London at 3 p.m. on January 9 for Shanghai and ports.

The M.M. s.s. Andre Lebon arrived in Shanghai from Kobe on Wednesday and will sail for Marseilles via ports at 10 o'clock this morning. The tender with passengers for the vessel will leave the M.M. Jetty, French Bund, at 8 a.m.

The P. and O. s.s. Macedonia will leave Shanghai for London via ports next Tuesday, and the tenders with passengers for the vessel will leave the Customs Jetty at 10 a.m. and 5 p.m. respectively. Heavy baggage should be delivered to the lighter alongside the Customs Jetty between 2 and 3 p.m. Monday.

The P. and O. s.s. Morea, which arrived from London last Wednesday and docked at the Hongkong Wharf, will sail for Moji and Kobe at 8 o'clock tomorrow morning.

The Glen Line s.s. Glenbeg, from London, left Hongkong yesterday morning and is due in Shanghai next Sunday, docking at the China Merchants Lower Wharf.

AMERICAN LINES

The Columbia Pacific s.s. Montague is due in Shanghai from Portland on Monday, and sails for the same port via Hongkong and Manila on January 24.

The Columbia Pacific s.s. Dewey will arrive in Shanghai from Portland on January 26, and leaves for the same port on Jan. 29.

The Dollar s.s. President Harrison, from San Francisco on January 5, was due to leave Honolulu on Saturday and arrives in Shanghai via Kobe on Jan. 29.

The C.P.S. s.s. Empress of Australia was due to leave Vancouver yesterday and is expected at Woosung via Japan ports on February 4.

The Adl. O. Line s.s. President Jackson, from Seattle on January 9, should arrive at Yokohama next Monday and is expected in Shanghai on January 26.

The Adl. O. Line s.s. President Jefferson is due to leave Seattle next Monday, and arrives in Shanghai via Japan ports on February 7.

The P.M. s.s. President Taft, from San Francisco on January 10, was to leave Honolulu last Monday, and is expected in Shanghai via Japan ports on January 30.

The Adl. O. Line s.s. President Madison will arrive in Shanghai from Hongkong at 10 o'clock tomorrow morning, and docks at the China Merchants Central Wharf. The liner will sail for Seattle via Japan ports at 8 o'clock Sunday morning.

The Columbia Pacific s.s. Hannawa is due in Shanghai from Portland today and will sail for the same port via Hongkong and Manila next Tuesday.

The Columbia Pacific s.s. West Niger is due in Shanghai from Portland on February 1, and sails for the same port via Tsingtao, Takubar and Dairen the following day.

The Columbia Pacific s.s. West Cayote is due in Shanghai from Portland on February 5 and will sail for the same port via Tsingtao, Takubar and Dairen on February 7.

The Adl. O. Line s.s. President McKinley arrived in Shanghai from Seattle yesterday morning, and docks at the China Merchants Central Wharf. The liner will sail for Hongkong and Manila at 8 o'clock tomorrow morning.

The P.M. s.s. President Lincoln will arrive in Shanghai from San Francisco, Honolulu, and Japan ports tomorrow morning, and docks at the China Merchants Central Wharf at 11 o'clock. The liner has on board 257 sacks of mail, silver bullion, and 1,800 tons of cargo for Hongkong and Manila at 9 o'clock Sunday morning.

Passengers Departed

Per I.C. s.s. Sulwo for Hankow: Capt. and Mrs. Hetherington and child, Mrs. Popofsky, Mr. & Mrs. Bendik Nohking and two children, Mr. J. H. Lund.

Per C.N. s.s. Kanchow for Amoy: Capt. and Mrs. H. Arp, Messrs. Group, Brundt.

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President Jefferson Dec. 27
President Grant Jan. 10
Kaga Maru Jan. 12
Manila Maru Jan. 14

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FOR HAMBURG

Holstein Dec. 24
Prussien Jan. 7
Hindenburg Jan. 15
Teuriga Maru Jan. 16

FOR ROTTERDAM

Zosma Dec. 31

FOR COPENHAGEN

Afrika Dec. 11
Annam Dec. 23
Malaya Jan. 17

FOR MARSEILLES

Champord Dec. 21
Paul Locat Jan. 4

FOR TRIESTE

Duchess D'Aosta Jan. 1

FOR INDIA

Hosang Dec. 22
Tamba Maru Dec. 26
Torilla Jan. 8
Japaz Jan. 15
Siella Jan. 16

Passengers Arrived

Per C.M. s.s. Hsin Kiangteen from Ningpo: Messrs. Barrett, S. Sinnecker.

Per I.C. s.s. Tuckwo from Hankow: Messrs. K. Pappie, H. N. Jackson; from Nanking: Messrs. Ning, Chow.

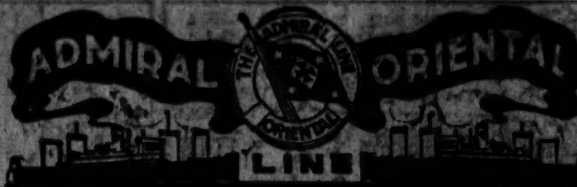
Per Adl. O. Line s.s. President McKinley from Seattle: Rev. and Mrs. A. Anderson and infant, Misses Ruth and Clara and Master Albert Anderson, Messrs. L. H. Burke, C. B. Gardner, Miss F. Knight, Messrs. W. J. Linn, W. B. Pertus, for Hongkong: Rev. and Mrs. Kenneth Campbell, Mrs. Lucy Stewart; for Manila: Messrs. A. S. Allen, John W. Bryant, Ramiro Castro, Geo. W. Christ, nach, Christian Scheelky, Frederick J. Waters.

Steamers Arrived

January 16
Kumieric from New York
Haru Maru from Japan

January 17
Yungshin from Ningpo
Hsin Kiangteen from Ningpo
Sakaki Maru from Dairen
Kalee from Chinwangtao

Pres. McKinley from Seattle
Nagasaki Maru from Nagasaki
Huafeng from Dairen
Tuckwo from Hankow
Tsingtao from Hankow
Yohyang Maru from Hankow
Lushung from Cruise



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E/Russia Apr. 5 Apr. 21	E/Canada Sept. 27 Oct. 13	E/Asia Oct. 13 Oct. 29	E/Australia Oct. 25 Nov. 10
E/Australia Apr. 21 May 7	E/Russia Oct. 25 Nov. 10	E/Canada Nov. 10 Nov. 24	E/Asia Nov. 24 Dec. 8
E/Asia May 11 May 26	E/Australia Nov. 24 Dec. 8	E/Russia Dec. 8 Dec. 24	E/Canada Dec. 24 Dec. 24
E/Russia June 16 July 2	E/Asia Dec. 8 Dec. 24	E/Australia Dec. 24 Dec. 24	E/Canada Dec. 24 Dec. 24
E/Australia July 5 July 21	E/Russia Dec. 24 Dec. 24	E/Asia Dec. 24 Dec. 24	E/Canada Dec. 24 Dec. 24
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PROPOSED SAILINGS FROM SHANGHAI

FOR JAPAN	FOR EUROPE
Nagasaki Maru Jan. 18	Tatsumi Maru Jan. 25
Yamashiro Maru Jan. 19	Suwa Maru Jan. 26
Shanghai Maru Jan. 22	Pushimi Maru Jan. 26
Kamano Maru Jan. 23	Hakozaki Maru Feb. 3
Omi Maru Jan. 26	Hakusan Maru Feb. 8
Nikko Maru Jan. 29	
FOR BOMBAY via HONGKONG	FOR AUSTRALIA from Hong Kong
Moji Maru Jan. 24	Aki Maru Feb. 13
FOR SEATTLE via VICTORIA	FOR NEW YORK via SAN FRANCISCO and PANAMA
B. O. Maru Feb. 1	Maybashi Maru Feb. 15
Shidzuoka Maru Feb. 24	
FOR SOUTH AMERICA via Cape Horn	FOR MANILA & HONGKONG
Kamakura Maru Feb. 10	Shidzuoka Maru Jan. 31
Nagasaki Maru Feb. 10	Yokohama Maru Feb. 20

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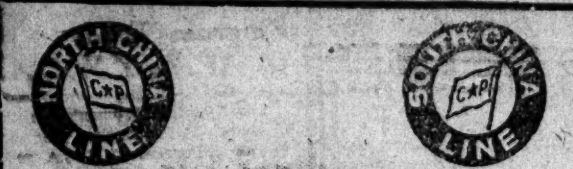
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Ship	Next sailing from Shanghai	Probable sailing for Kobe and Yokohama	Probable sailing for Hong Kong
ANDRE LEBON	30th Nov.	16th Jan. 1924	18th Jan.
AMBOISE	14th Dec.	3rd Feb. 1924	1st Feb.
CORDILLER	28th Dec.	17th Feb. 1924	15th Feb.
ANGERS	10th Jan.	26th Feb. 1924	29th Feb.
CHILI	24th Jan.	11th Mar. 1924	6th Mar.
PORTHOS			20th Mar.

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From Portland, Ore., U. S. A.

U.S.S. S.S. "HANNAWA"	Jan. 18
U.S.S. S.S. "MONTAGUE"	Jan. 21
U.S.S. S.S. "DEWEY"	Jan. 26
U.S.S. S.S. "WEST NIGER"	Feb. 1
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S.S. "ALTA MARU" Feb. 26	S.S. "KOHOKU MARU" Jan. 18	S.S. "SEIKYO MARU" Jan. 22	S.S. "KOHOKU MARU" Jan. 27	S.S. "SEIKYO MARU" Feb. 2
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The day tide, are higher than the night tides, they are nearly equal at 3 o'clock.
Approximate rise, at spring 4 1/2 h; at neaps, 5 h.
Fall, at spring 3 1/2 h; at neaps, 7 1/2 h.
Time Range Time Range
10h. 3m. 6ft. 0in. 10h. 29m. 4ft. 0in.
High Water at Tungsha Lightship
(The day tides are higher than the night tides.)
Approximate rise, 1 1/2 h; approximate fall, 7 h.
A.M. P.M.
8 42 9 11
Time of Moonrise, Moonset, Sunrise, Sunset.
Mon Sun Rises Sets
2.22 p.m. 3.30 a.m. 7h. 1m. 5h. 18m. 6h. 16m. 6h. 3m.
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Kashgar	Feb. 5	Khyber	Apr. 1	Kashmir	May 13	May 27	May 27	May 27	May 27
Morea	Feb. 19	China	Apr. 15	Khiva	May 20	May 27	May 27	May 27	May 27
Karmala	March 4			Delta	May 27	May 27	May 27	May 27	May 27

*Also calls at Bombay

P. & O. to Bombay—via Hongkong, Straits	Macedonia Jan. 22
& Colombo.	Soudan Feb. 9
P. & O. to Calcutta—via Hongkong via Singa-	Torilla Jan. 25
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TO THE UNITED STATES AND EUROPE

DATE	CLOSING	STEAMER	DUE AT	DATE
Jan. 19	9 p.m.	P. Madison	Seattle	Feb. 5
Jan. 28	noon	Korea Maru	S. Francisco	Feb. 20

TO SOUTHERN PORTS, INDIA AND EUROPE VIA SUMATRA

DATE	CLOSING	STEAMER	DUE AT	DATE
Jan. 22	3 p.m.	Macedonia	Marseilles	Feb. 22
Jan. 24	7 a.m.	Lycan	Marseilles	

TO NORTHERN PORTS

TO	DATE	CLOSING	STEAMER
Vladivostok	Daily	9 p.m.	via Harbin
Siberia	Daily	9 p.m.	via Chita

W'wei, C'foo, T'sin	Today	9 p.m.	Takung
Tsingtao	Jan. 19	7 a.m.	Sinkiang
W'wei, C'foo, T'sin	Jan. 19	9 p.m.	Shuntien
W'wei, C'foo, T'sin	Jan. 23	10 a.m.	Chekiang
Tsingtao & Dainy	Jan. 23	12.30 p.m.	Chohel M.
Tsingtao	Jan. 26	noon	Luchow

TO SOUTHERN PORTS

TO	DATE	CLOSING	STEAMER
Wenchow	Today	9 p.m.	Felching
Hongkong & Canton	Today	9 p.m.	Kinley
Canton	Today	9 p.m.	Kuping

Hongkong and Canton	Jan. 10	9 p.m.	P. Lincoln
Swatow	Jan. 19	9 p.m.	Walshing
Swatow	Jan. 20	8 a.m.	Yingchow
Swatow	Jan. 20	8 a.m.	Kwangse
Hongkong & Canton	Jan. 21	12 noon	Shinyo M.
Hongkong & Canton	Jan. 22	3 p.m.	Macedonia
Swatow	Jan. 22	9 a.m.	Soochow
Amoy	Jan. 24	11 a.m.	Sulyang

MISCELLANEOUS PORTS

TO	DATE	CLOSING	STEAMER
Russia and Europe	Daily	9 p.m.	via Train
River ports	Daily	9 p.m.	via Train

Manila, Australia and N. Zealand	Today	9 p.m.	P. McKinley
Japan ports	Jan. 18	9 p.m.	Yamashiro M.

Manila, Australia & N. Zealand	Jan. 19	9 p.m.	P. Lincoln
Japan ports	Jan. 21	9 p.m.	Shanghai M.

Manila, Australia & N. Zealand	Jan. 21	noon	Shinyo Maru
Manila, Australia & N. Zealand	Jan. 22	3 p.m.	Macedonia
Japan ports	Jan. 23	9 p.m.	Kumano Maru

Men-Of-War In Port

Section	Date	Name	Flag and Rating
JNB	Jan. 10	Ataka	Jap. Gunboat
1 C	Dec. 29	D. de Lagree	Fr. Gunboat
FNB	Dec. 29	Jules Ferry	Fr. Cruiser
ODW	Mar. 23	Pigeon	Br. Gun-boat
NSNB	Nov. 30	Milea	Am. Gun-boat
1 C	Nov. 30	Seb. Caboto	Ital. Gun-boat

Future Sailings

FOR AMERICA AND CANADA

Jan. 20 8.00 *Seattle	P. Madison	Am. Adl. O. Line
Jan. 21 Portland, Ore.	Wawilona	Am. Lumber Co.
Jan. 22 Portland, Ore.	Hannawa	Am. Lumber Co.
Jan. 24 Portland, Ore.	Montage	Am. Lumber Co.
Jan. 25 New York	Hannawa	Jap. O. S. K.
Jan. 26 Portland, Ore.	Dewey	Am. Lumber Co.
Jan. 28 San Francisco	Korea Maru	Jap. T.K.K.
Jan. 30 New York via Suez	Ilyson	Br. B. & S.
Feb. 1 Seattle	P. McKinley	Am. Adl. O. Line
Feb. 1 New York via Suez	P. Harrison	Am. Dollar Co.
Feb. 1 Seattle	Iyo Maru	Jap. N.Y.K.
Feb. 2 Portland, Ore.	W. Niger	Am. Lumber Co.
Feb. 2 Tacoma	Alabama Maru	Jap. O.S.K.
Feb. 4 San Francisco	P. Lincoln	Am. P.M.S.S. Co.
Feb. 7 Portland, Ore.	W. Cayote	Am. Lumber Co.
Feb. 8 San Francisco	Shinyo Maru	Jap. T.K.K.
Feb. 9 Vancouver	Y. E. of Russia	Br. C.P.S.
Feb. 10 San Francisco, etc.	Stuart Dollar	Br. Dollar Co.
Feb. 12 San Francisco	W. Holbrook	Am. P.M.S.S. Co.
Feb. 13 Seattle	Y. E. of Russia	Am. Adl. O. Line
Feb. 15 New York	Maybashi M.	Jap. N.Y.K.
Feb. 16 San Francisco	P. Tatt	Am. P.M.S.S. Co.
Feb. 17 New York via Suez	Iyon	Br. B. & S.
Feb. 20 New York via Suez	Virginia Dollar	Jap. T.K.K.
Feb. 20 San Francisco	Bibiana Maru	Jap. O. S. K.
Feb. 22 Tacoma, etc.	Arizona Maru	Jap. N.Y.K.
Feb. 24 Seattle	Shidzuoka Maru	Br. C.P.S.
Feb. 25 Vancouver	Y. E. of Australia	Am. Adl. O. Line
Feb. 25 Seattle	P. Jefferson	Br. B. & S.
Feb. 27 New York via Suez	Eurybates	Am. Dollar Co.
Feb. 29 New York via Suez	P. Hays	Am. P.M.S.S. Co.
Mar. 1 San Francisco	P. Cleveland	Am. Adl. O. Line
Mar. 8 Seattle	Y. E. of Asia	Br. C.P.S.
Mar. 15 Vancouver	Y. E. of Asia	Am. P.M.S.S. Co.
Mar. 29 San Francisco	Y. E. of Asia	Am. P.M.S.S. Co.

FOR JAPAN PORTS

Jan. 18 Nagasaki	Nagasaki M.	Jap. N. Y. K.
Jan. 19 8.00 *Moji, Kobe	Moira	Br. M. M. & Co.
Jan. 19 Moji, Kobe, Osaka	Yamashiro M.	Jap. N. Y. K.
Jan. 22 Nagasaki	Shanghai M.	Jap. N.Y.K.
Jan. 23 Moji, Kobe, Osaka	Kumano Maru	Jap. N.Y.K.
Jan. 25 Kobe	Pays De Waes	Jap. O. S. K.
Jan. 26 Moji, Kobe, Osaka	Omi Maru	Jap. N. Y. K.
Jan. 30 Moji, Kobe, Osaka	Nikko Maru	Jap. N. Y. K.

FOR EUROPE, INDIA, STRAITS, ETC.

Jan. 18 8.00 *Marseilles	A. Lebon	Fr. M. M. & Co.
Jan. 19 Scandnavia	Annam	Br. M. M. & Co.
Jan. 22 5.00 London	Macdonald	Br. M. M. & Co.
Jan. 22 Singapore	W. Montop	Am. S. & S.
Jan. 24 Hamburg, etc.	Lyonon	Br. B. & S.
Jan. 24 Bombay	Moji Maru	Jap. N.Y.K.
Jan. 25 Hamburg, etc.	C. of Cambridge	Br. J. M. & Co.
Jan. 25 Hamburg, etc.	Tottori Maru	Jap. N. Y. K.
Jan. 26 London	Suwa Maru	Jap. N.Y.K.
Jan. 27 Liverpool	Cyclops	Br. B. & S.
Jan. 28 Hamburg, etc.	Schlesien	Ger. M. M. & Co.
Jan. 31 London	Montop	Br. B. & S.
Feb. 1 Hamburg, etc.	Emil Kirdorf	Ger. H.S. Line
Feb. 1 Marseilles	Amboise	Fr. M. M. & Co.
Feb. 2 Rotterdam, etc.	Olderkert	Dut. H.C.T. Co.
Feb. 3 Antwerp, etc.	Celebes Maru	Jap. O.S.K.
Feb. 5 Hamburg, etc.	Saarcruken	Ger. M. M. & Co.
Feb. 5 London	Kashgar	Br. M. M. & Co.
Feb. 6 Antwerp, etc.	Celebes Maru	Jap. O.S.K.
Feb. 9 London	Pushimi Maru	Jap. N.Y.K.
Feb. 9 Bombay	Soudan	Br. M. M. & Co.
Feb. 14 Hamburg, etc.	Pemius	Br. B. & S.
Feb. 15 Liverpool	Talhythys	Br. B. & S.
Feb. 15 Marseilles	Cordillera	Fr. M. M. & Co.
Feb. 19 London	Morea	Br. M. M. & Co.
Feb. 21 Hamburg, etc.	Glenbeg	Br. G.L.E.A.
Feb. 23 Hamburg, etc.	Hakozaki Maru	Jap. N. Y. K.
Feb. 25 Liverpool	Antiochus	Br. B. & S.
Feb. 25 Rotterdam, etc.	Saparaes	Dut. H. C. T. Co.
Feb. 26 Antwerp, etc.	Altal Maru	Jap. O.S.K.
Feb. 29 Marseilles	Karmala	Fr. M. M. & Co.
Mar. 4 London	Chilli	Fr. M. M. & Co.
Mar. 8 London, etc.	Hakusan Maru	Jap. N.Y.K.
Mar. 13 London	Telrasias	Br. B. & S.
May 13 London	Kashmir	Br. M. M. & Co.
Mar. 18 London	Naldora	Br. M. M. & Co.
May 20 London	Khiva	Br. M. M. & Co.
Mar. 20 Hamburg, etc.	Aachen	Ger. M. M. & Co.
May 27 London	Delta	Br. M. M. & Co.
Apr. 1 London	Khyber	Br. M. M. & Co.
Apr. 15 London	China	Br. M. M. & Co.
Apr. 29 London, etc.	Kalyan	Br. M. M. & Co.

FOR AUSTRALIA FROM HONGKONG

Feb. 2 Melbourne, etc.	St. Albans	Br. M. M. & Co.
Feb. 13 Melbourne, etc.	Aki Maru	Jap. N. Y. K.
Feb. 27 Melbourne, etc.	Eastern	Br. M. M. & Co.
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BIG PROGRESS

(Asiatic News Service)
 Peking, Jan. 12.—Official re-
 ports from Loyang indicate sub-
 stantial progress made in the ne-
 gotiations between Marshal Wu
 Pei-fu and Marshal Tuan
 Chi-jui about the political recon-
 ciliation between the semi-defunct
 Anfu faction and the ruling

Chihli party and the Loyang
 leader is very optimistic about
 his ultimate success in bringing
 about amity and friendship of
 the whole old Peking military
 party. Marshal Wu claims that
 through his repeated efforts
 aiming at peace and unity, ex-
 Premier Tuan Chi-jui and Gen-
 eral Lu Yun-shiang, representing
 the Anfuites have finally accept-
 ed his terms for political co-
 operation so that all military
 preparations between Chekiang
 and Kiangsu are ceased and

consequently, all sorts of rumors
 about impending civil war in
 lower Yangtze have disappeared.
 All the Kiangsu and Fukien
 troops have been withdrawn to
 their original places while Shang-
 hai is only garrisoned by one
 brigade of the tenth division of
 the old Peking army under the
 direct command of General Ho
 Fen-lin. For the present, neither
 General Ho nor Colonel Lu, chief
 of the Shanghai native police,
 will be removed while there is a
 possibility of Marshal Tuans
 acceptance of a high and respon-
 sible appointment under the new
 Sun Pao-chi government with a
 view to co-operating with Presi-
 dent Tsao, Premier Sun and Mar-
 shal Wu to bring about unity and
 peace throughout China. The
 terms of Tuan-Tsao-Wu co-opera-
 tion are not available for publica-
 tion at the moment, but it is be-
 lieved that the re-employment of
 Marshal Tuan will be decided by
 the President as soon as the
 formation of the Sun Pao-chi
 Cabinet is formally announced by
 mandates. After the reconcilia-
 tion of the Anfu or Tuan Chi-jui
 faction, full efforts will be de-
 voted to General Chang Tso-lin in
 Mukden. If it is successful, then
 a united front of the whole Pe-
 yang military party will be direct-
 ed against the Kuomintang party
 under Dr. Sun Yet-sen. Hence
 there will be important develop-
 ments in 1924 in Chinese domes-
 tic politics and the Chihli lead-
 ers are optimistic about the re-
 sults of their activities.

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 of the use of milk as a diet and
 the manufacture of milk products
 were traced in an interesting ad-
 dress given yesterday by Mr. H.
 L. Paddock of the American
 Milk Products Corporation before
 the weekly meeting of the Rotary
 Club at the Astor.

President Pettus of the Peking
 Language School spoke on the
 plans being made for the develop-
 ment of Rotary in Peking and
 pointed out that the mandarin
 dialect is more generally used
 than any other language, being
 applied in conversation by 2,500,-
 000 people while English claimed
 only 2,000,000 applicants.

It was announced at yesterday's
 meeting that Mr. T. C. Britton
 would act as secretary of the
 club, succeeding the late Dr.
 Julian Pettit. A letter from the
 Rotary Club of Tokio, expressing
 appreciation of Japan for the
 contribution made by the local
 club for earthquake relief and
 another from the Tientsin chap-
 ter, forwarding a copy of the re-
 solution passed in memory of the
 late Dr. Julian Pettit, were read
 by the secretary.

Hurley Named On
Debt Funding Body

(Reuter's American Service)
 Washington, Jan. 16.—Presi-
 dent Coolidge has nominated Mr.
 Edward Nash Hurley, former
 Chairman of the United States
 Shipping Board, to the Demo-
 cratic vacancy on the Debt-
 Funding Commission.

The President has sent to Con-
 gress the agreement for the fund-
 ing of the Finnish War Debt to
 the United States of \$9,000,000.
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 into operetta form. All the per-
 formers will be in Russian
 costume and a highly picturesque
 ensemble is assured.

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 been arranged for children it is
 certain that the beauty and time-
 fulness of the performance will
 appeal strongly to youngsters, and
 will delight the grown-ups.
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 number, may be obtained at \$3
 each from Mme. Grosse, 1
 Whangpoo Road, and from Mrs.
 Desnitsky Stone, 16 Wongschaw
 Gardens. Several ladies promi-
 nent in French society are selling
 the tickets among their friends.
 The hall has been donated for
 the occasion and the proceeds of
 the entertainment will go to the
 support of the orphanage.

Chang Chien Party
On Inspection Of
British Dye Works

(Reuter's Service)
 London, Jan. 16.—The Chinese
 Industrial Mission today visited
 the headquarters of the Bradford
 Dyers' Association and inspected
 samples of dyed woollen, cotton
 and artificial silk goods suitable
 for the Far Eastern trade.

Subsequently the Mission
 attended a conference with the
 Council of the Bradford Chamber
 of Commerce and fifty members
 specially interested in the Chi-
 nese trade. The subjects of trade
 marks, Chinese inland transport
 and reduction in weight for
 sample postage were raised. The
 members of the Mission promised
 to bring the matters before the
 Government on their return.

After the conference the
 Mission and prominent Bradford
 business men were entertained
 to luncheon by the Lord Mayor.
 The Mission later visited the
 Salford mills and met the Wool
 and Allied Trades Industrial
 Council.

Program Today
At The Y. W. C. A.

The American Woman's Club is
 in charge of the musical program
 at the Foreign Y. W. C. A. this
 afternoon. Miss Mabel Jansen,
 who is planning the program, has
 arranged for a well varied enter-
 tainment.

Among those who will be heard
 are Mrs. Joel Black, and Mrs. J.
 P. Davies, in songs; Mrs. Edmond
 B. Gregory, violin; Mrs. F.
 Kingsbury, in readings; Miss
 Mabel Jansen and Mrs. G. C.
 Kerr, in piano duets.

Tea will be served from 5 to
 5:30, after which the program
 will be given.

ACCEPTS TOKIO POST

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Peking, Jan. 14.—Mr. Chen
 Hsieh-ling, who was appointed
 Educational Attache to the Legation
 in Tokio some time ago but
 declined to take up the post, has
 finally accepted and has started
 for Japan.

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